

THE WEATHER
Rain followed by clearing and
colder tonight; Tuesday fair and
much colder. Light west to north-
west winds, increasing.

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LOWELL MASS. MONDAY FEBRUARY 21 1910

6
O'CLOCK

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THE LOWELL SUN

HIGHWAY BILL "JOKER"

British Parliament Opened by King Edward Today

NIGHT EDITION
KING'S SPEECH
A Great Disappointment to the
Coalition Elements

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Parliament was opened formally this afternoon by King Edward who was accompanied by Queen Alexandra and is now fully organized and ready for the work of the session.

The state opening was marked by all the pageantry associated with these occasions since the accession of Edward VII. The royal progress through the troop-lined streets from Buckingham palace to the palace at Westminster drew the usual huge crowds. Uppermost in the minds of the thousands who witnessed the spectacle in the streets and among the occupants of the red-clothed benches in the gilded chamber was the thought of the forthcoming fight which threatens the very existence of the hereditary house of peers.

The ceremony itself did not differ outwardly from scores of previous state openings, except in the presence close to the throne of Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia. The former wore the uniform of an officer of the British navy, of which he was recently appointed admiral of the fleet. Every corner of the chamber was filled and the varied colorings of the peers, bishops and judges' robes, the court, diplomatic, naval and military uniforms with the beautiful gowns of richly jeweled women, made a scene of brilliancy.

King's Speech Brief

The king's speech proved to be unusually brief and made plain that the work of the session would be confined to the matter of finance and the question of the house of lords.

His majesty opened with the usual reference to the friendly relations existing with foreign powers and dealt at

Recording the fact that the expenditures authorized by the last parliament were being met by a recourse to temporary borrowing, the speech declared:

"Arrangements must be made at the earliest possible moment to deal with the financial situation thus created."

This was taken as confirmation of Premier Asquith's avowed determination to regulate the present conduct of financial affairs before attacking the house of lords. The most important pronouncement was reserved for the end of the speech which closed with the paragraph upon the relations between the two houses, as given above.

The reading of the speech occupied four minutes and at its close the ladies retired and the session was suspended for two hours. American Ambassador Reid and William Phillips, secretary of the American embassy, were among the diplomats present. During the intermission the speech was the subject of keen analysis in the lobbies of both houses. It was regarded as evident that the cabinet had decided against the extremists who desire the abolition of the upper chamber, and is anxious only to deprive the house of lords of the power of veto.

JOHN REDMOND

ISSUES AN APPEAL FOR CAMPAIGN FUNDS

LONDON, Feb. 21.—A meeting of all the Irish nationalists in the new house of commons was held this afternoon to determine the party's attitude toward the governmental program. John Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, presided and that he is in a mood to fight unless Premier Asquith clears the way for Irish aspirations may be gathered from his appeal to the people of Ireland for party funds issued this morning.

"This appeal," said Mr. Redmond, "is vitally urgent by reason of the strong probability that another dissolution of parliament will be upon us immediately, perhaps before Easter."

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PREMIER ASQUITH

HAS FILLED VACANCIES IN BRITISH MINISTRY

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Premier Asquith



WILD EXCITEMENT

In Philadelphia Over Yesterday's Riots in the Car Strike

Nearly 300 Cars Wrecked by Mobs and Two
Burned—The Trouble Due to Demand of
Amalgamated Union Against the Keystone
Union—People Ordered Not to Gather on
Streets—3000 Special Police Swore in

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—In spite of yesterday's severe rioting, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. started their early morning schedule today without apparent interruption by the strikers or their sympathizers. The first cars left the barns in different sections of the city at 5 a. m., 12 hours after the service had been discontinued.

Refreshed by their rest, the motormen and conductors who had slept in the barns on cots provided by the company, manned the cars, protected by policemen on both front and rear platforms. Not a missile was thrown, however, on the early morning trips, and the cars were not as well filled with passengers. Persons willing to ride were deterred from doing so from fear of injuries.

The strike leaders, tired by yesterday's strenuous work, rested until late this morning and no further statements were given out at union headquarters.

Beyond the statement that "All lines are in operation with the full quota of cars," the officials of the Rapid Transit Co. also declined to comment on the situation.

Conspicuous on the lapels of the working motormen and conductors was the insignia of the Keystone union, the rival of the Amalgamated association of which the strikers are members. The former union was founded by men who remained loyal to the company during last year's struggle and is not affiliated with any other body. The present trouble began when the officials of the company treated with the members of the Keystone union against the wishes of the members of the Amalgamated association. The latter body made the request of the Rapid Transit officials that no other union be recognized.

One thousand men on the eight-line list for policemen and firemen were sworn in yesterday and the city hall this morning was the scene of great activity among the police officials who were preparing to swear in 3000 additional men at the first sign of further lawlessness.

The company admitted today that

has filed the vagrancy in the ministry, which is an indication that he at least expects the government to pass safety through the crisis. The new ministerial area, William Wedgwood Benn and Ernest Joseph Seaver, junior lords of the treasury; Edwin Samuel Montague, under secretary for India, and Cecil William Norton, assistant postmaster general.

Mr. Norton succeeds Sir Henry Norman, who failed of election.

This completes the ministry. In the case of the junior lords bye-elections will be necessary, but as both had good majorities last month, there is little danger of their losing their seats.

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"These," said his majesty, "have been framed with the utmost desire for the naval defense of the empire made it necessary to propose a substantial increase in the cost of my navy."

POLAND WATER

For Sale by
F. E. BAILEY & CO.
GEO. A. WILLSON & CO.

50 Central St.

Sewing Is Fun

In sewing by hand the only fun is in finishing the monotonous task. But electricity makes sewing so simple and does its work so swiftly, that hours are gained for other pleasures, and the sewing itself becomes a delightful occupation. Try it.

The Lowell Electric Light Corporation

50 Central St.

STATE HIGHWAY BILL

County Commissioner Gould Finds Suspicious "Joker"

Bill Provides That Work Must
be Done to Satisfaction of the
State Highway Commissioners
—Matter Discussed at Meeting
of County Commission Today

The county commissioners today before the legislature relative to the state highway between Lowell and Lawrence upon which a hearing is to be held at the state house at room 426 on February 28th.

Chairman Gould presided over the hearing and the petitioners were heard first. There was a spirited opposition led by Selectman Fred Bassett

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MAN FOUND DEAD WENT AROUND

In a House in Church Street
The Philadelphian On Middle Shoal

Thomas Lewis, aged 50 years, was found dead in bed partially dressed this morning in the upper harbor while recovering from quarantine to her dock during a thick fog today. Word was sent to this city and tugs were despatched to the Philadelphian's assistance.

The remains were viewed by Medical Examiner Meigs and were then removed to the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy & Sons. The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Welch, two sons, Edwin and George Lewis and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Dusey and Mrs. Kate Monahan.

BOBON, Feb. 21.—The Leyland line steamer Philadelphian from London ran aground in the upper harbor while recovering from quarantine to her dock during a thick fog today. Word was sent to this city and tugs were despatched to the Philadelphian's assistance.

It was expected that the steamer would be pulled off at high water.

The place where the steamer grounded is known as Upper Middle shoal and is not far from Castle island on the South Boston shore.

TO MEET IN ROCHESTER

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 21.—Rochester has been selected as the next meeting place of the Order of Railroad Station Agents, which has been holding its biennial convention in this city.

EDWARD WESTON'S WALK

SUN SHINE, ART, Feb. 21.—Edward Weston left here early today on his walk to New York. He rested all day Sunday.

SEN. SMITH IMPROVING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, who was operated upon for appendicitis a few days ago, is steadily improving.

One Doctor

Have only one doctor—just one! No sense in running from one doctor to another! Select the best one, then stand by him. No sense in trying this thing, that thing, for your cough. Carefully, deliberately select the best cough medicine, then take it. Which one is the best? Ask your doctor.

Ask him about Ager's Cough Pectoral for throat and lung troubles. Doctors have prescribed it for 70 years. Lowell Mass.

Money

Deposited in the
MECHANICS Savings Bank

202 Merrimack Street

ON OR BEFORE

Saturday, March 5

Will draw interest from that date.

Beginning today the Middlesex mills in Warren street will start a night shift and will run day and night until further orders. Asked if a big influx of orders was responsible for the day and night shifts, a mill official said: "No, we just got behind a little in our work and we're trying to catch up, that's all."

REPERKINS SERIOUSLY ILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The condition of Representative James Perkins of New York was very grave today.

DR. COOK AT VALPARAISO

VALPARAISO, Chile, Feb. 21.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook arrived here today, but he declined to be interviewed.

LATEST

THE GRAND JURY

Began Its Investigation of Rioting
in Cairo Today

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 21.—With a hundred subpoenaed to appear before the coroner's jury, and the conflict between the sheriff and the military will be given an airing.

citizens in a sullen mood awaiting developments, today is expected to bring the supposed confederate of John Pratt, the negro woman precipitated the present race-trouble, proved unsuccessful.

The grand jury began its investigation of last Thursday night's rioting this forenoon, and the coroner's jury, out at midnight last night, will adjourn its inquiry this afternoon, increasing the number of companies.

MISSING TUG FOUND

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 21.—It is reported at Fort Monroe that the missing naval tug Nina has been found on the coast of Virginia where she was driven by the severe storm which it was thought sent her to the bottom of the Atlantic.

COTTON LEAK SCANDAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Moses Haas of New York, indicted in the district of Columbia in connection with the "cotton leak scandal" of the department of agriculture, must come to Washington for trial. Such was the decision today of the supreme court.

DERELICT SCHOONER SIGHTED

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 21.—The derelict Portland schooner, Julia B. Cole, which was abandoned during one of the January storms, was sighted on February 15 by the schooner Inga 200 miles north of Bermuda. The Cole had her decks just awash with several sail set and part of a signal flag flying from her mizzenmasthead.

The captain of the Inga gave her position as about lat. 36 and long. 66, and said that ship was drifting northeast before a heavy gale.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Annual Report Shows What Was Done During Year

The annual report of the board of health is ready for the printer and the report has been forwarded. The board in its introductory remarks says: "There has been no paddling of the pay roll here; politics has not entered into our deliberations in the least. All the work that has been done has in our opinion been necessary work, and we believe that it could not have been well done at a cheaper expense. We know that the board of health should produce better results than we have been able to accomplish in matters purely sanitary, but we have done the best we could with the means at our disposal, and during the past year in such important particulars as meat inspection, a pure milk supply, and the prevention of tuberculosis, we have taken steps which we believe will lead to vastly improved health conditions."

"Last winter we received notices from the state board of health to the effect that many of the farms which supplied Lowell with milk were in an unsanitary condition." The report goes on to say that the board conducted the raising of milk living in Lowell and vicinity to a hearing, Feb. 26. The members of the board explained to the milk dealers the wrong conditions that existed and how to remedy them. As a result, the board says, the barns are cleaner; they are also better ventilated; the milk rooms have been rendered more sanitary, and the cows are cleaner.

With reference to contagious diseases the report says: "The one uncertain item of expense in this department is for the care of patients suffering with contagious diseases, though there is no uncertainty that the cost of the coming year will be greater than ever before. Now that tuberculosis has been placed on the contagious list, the board says:

"This map is of great service to us. We are making use of it. Just now in our house to house inspection which is being conducted by our inspectors in the United States at their disposal for such work. Now, after each death from the disease, the house is fumigated and cleaned with the same care as in cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever."

"The map in its inaugural address admirably states the case in favor of a contagious hospital in this city. Why such a hospital has never been built in Lowell is difficult to understand."

The statute governing this question flatly states that the city must erect a contagious hospital, and the state board of health can force the city to do this action." The report says that a serious epidemic under existing conditions would be sad to contemplate.

Relative to the erection of a new home by the American Home and Leather Co., the board says: "Unless we are convinced that the proposed home house is to be absolutely sanitary and unobjectionable we shall not assign for its erection any location within the city limits."

In 1909 there were 726 cases of contagious disease reported, 182 against 1167 cases in 1908. The report gives the number of contagious diseases in 1909 as 1909 and in 1908 447 infections, 149 of which were for tuberculosis, 172 rooms in all were fumigated. There were 1610 vaccinations.

There were 24 deaths from diphtheria out of a total of 192 cases and 10 deaths from scarlet fever out of a total of 13 cases. Nine deaths from scarlet fever out of a total of 100 cases and four deaths from measles out of a total of 233 cases. There were 11 deaths from

typhoid fever and 91 cases were reported.

It cost \$11,431.00 to collect 22,753

loads of ashes and 463 loads of paper.

Refuse burned at the incinerator included 1626 tons of market refuse, 25 dogs, 45 cats, 193 mattresses, 12 bundles bed clothing, 164 bags, 7 plows and 7 loads of manure from party department. The department collected 4737 loads of swill during the year.

GREAT BANQUET
Tendered Retiring Supt.
J. M. Perkins

Mr. John M. Perkins has resigned his position as superintendent of the Lowell Machine Shop and will close his labor there this week. Mr. Perkins will go to Detroit to manage a big concern. His successor has not yet been appointed, though Agent Morton stated today that several applications for the position had been received.

At the New American house Saturday night Mr. Perkins was tendered a banquet by men who have been under his supervision for years. The menu was a very unique one and was printed on an order blank that was introduced in the big shop by Mr. Perkins.

On the cover, under head of "description" were the words, "First Eat of the Perkins Institute for good, bad and broken castings—New American house, Lowell, Mass." On the inside of the front cover appear the names of the officers and directors, as follows:

President, John M. Perkins; vice presidents, Jim Cooney, Davy, Billie Hornby, Pat Finneran, Bill Jones; secretary-treasurer, Shouty Williston; ex-secretary, Tommie Farwell; directors, Stubby Byam, George Cochrane, Martin Comer, Harry Crossland, Walter Farrel, Fredrich Furley, gen. utility; Billie Hard, property man; Otto Jensen, Alex Magone, stage-hand; Quifer Marren, Sing-Sing; Con Murphy, Dan Murphy, John O'Brien, property man; Sam Terry, Edison Taft, Mercury.

The catalog comes under the head of "record of charges" and read as follows:

Blue Points
Purées of Tomato aux Cretons
Olivies Radishes
Boiled Penobscot Salmon a la petit pois
Pomme de Terre Hollandaise
Roast Young Chicken, Cranberry Sauce
Mashed Potatoes Green Peas
Banana Fritters Sherry Wine Sauce
Lobster Salad
Mayonnaise Dressing
Coffee Jelly Whipped Cream
Vanilla Ice Cream
Finger Rolls Assorted Cake
Crackers and Cheese
Coffee

LARGE AUDIENCE

At Greek Play in Opera House

The new Greek military body known as "Frontagma" presented a play from the French entitled "The Two Lieutenant" at the Opera house last evening before an audience that packed the theatre, and included the Greek priest and all of the leading Greek residents. The play was given by amateurs and that they did well was evidenced by the repeated applause that rewarded their efforts. The local "Frontagma" is a branch of a military organization recently started among the Greeks in all of the larger colonies in this country. All the members are pledged to go to the defense of their mother country should war ever be declared. The local companies are attired in natty khaki uniforms.

SUES FOR \$4630

GIRL CLAIMS MONEY FOR NURSING AUNT

TRENTON, Feb. 21.—Sue has been instituted in the supreme court by Miss Mary Hughes, of this city, to recover \$4,630 from the estate of her aunt, Julia Day, widow of Joshua Day. Miss Hughes claims the money for nursing the aunt in the latter's last illness, declaring that she got no recompense for this work beyond the promise that she was to be well remembered in Mrs. Day's will. She was bequeathed only \$100, while the bulk of Mrs. Day's fortune of \$50,000 went to churches and charities.

DUKE IS DEAD

PARIS, Feb. 21.—Charles William Frederick Beson de Talleyrand-Périgord, fourth duke of Talleyrand and father of Prince De Sagan, who married the Countess De Castellane, formerly Anna Gould, died today.

The duke was born in this city May 18, 1852. He received a stroke of paralysis as the result of his experience in the charity bazaar fire.

LARGENY OF \$28,000 CHARGED

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—When the cases of Besse, Roberts, alias Kid Dowd, and Mary Williams were called for trial today for robbing Warner Van Norden Jr., the banker of \$28,000, it was announced that Mr. Van Norden is in Carlsbad, Bohemia, suffering from a nervous breakdown. The trial was adjourned for two weeks.

PRES. GARDNER RESIGNS

GARDNER, Me., Feb. 21.—Robert Hallowell Gardner, of Gardner and Boston has resigned as president of the national organization of the Brothers of St. Andrew (Episcopal) an order he has held since 1894. Mr. Gardner gives as a reason for his resignation the many business interests which require more time than he is able to devote to them while serving as head of the brotherhood.

SUGAR CANE CUTTERS STRIKE

POINT-A-PITRE, Guadeloupe, Feb. 21.—A thousand sugar cane cutters went on strike yesterday and set fire to five of the estates on which they had been employed. A force of troops is now on the scene to prevent further disorders.

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Lester Moore has resigned his position with the P. R. Warren Co. and has accepted a position with one of the largest photo-engraving companies in Boston. Mr. Moore was formerly connected with the Merrimack Engraving Co. in Central street.

The opinion was the first Justice

Larson has rendered from the supreme

court bench. The only qualification of this victory was a modification of the decree as to the Washington branch.

As to that branch the state won its contention.

PROMINENT MEN ACTION IS ENTERED

Attended Funeral of Charles E. Adams Today

Against B. & M. Road by U. S. District Attorney

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 21.—United States District Attorney C. W. Holt of Nashua today filed in the United States district court for the district of New Hampshire, actions against the Boston & Maine and the Atlantic & St. Lawrence railroads for failure to comply with the provisions of chapter 196, laws of congress of 1903, otherwise known as the safety appliance act, which compels every railroad in the country doing an inter-state business to equip its cars with automatic couplers and continuous brakes.

The action against the Boston & Maine road is based on the report of inspectors that certain cars found in the yard at Nashua in October last were unlit with the appliances demanded by the law, and the action against the Atlantic & St. Lawrence is based on a finding of unequipped cars in the yards at Berlin on October 14 last.

The suits, three against the Atlantic & St. Lawrence and two against the Boston & Maine road, were brought by the United States district attorney on authorization by the inter-state commerce commission and the penalty is \$100 in each case.

The suits will be called for trial at the March term of the United States district court in Portsmouth.

\$40,000 GIVEN TO CHARITY

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 21.—The late Mrs. Elvah G. Mann, widow of a former superintendent of the White mountains division of the Boston & Maine railroad, gives her \$40,000 estate to charity by a will filed today. The Home for the Aged Women's hospital in this city are residuary legatees. Bequests are made of \$5000 to the local Orphans' home; \$2500 each to St. Paul's church in this city and St. Luke's church in Woodsville, and \$1000 each to the city hospital here, St. Mary's school, Concord, and Tilton seminary. The executor is directed to sell Mrs. Mann's local real estate and turn the proceeds over to the town of Benton as a school and highway fund.

RECEIVER IS ASKED

GREAT BARRINGTON, Feb. 21.—The question of appointing a receiver for the Edgemere mills will be decided at Pittsfield on March 6 by Judge Crosby of the superior court. John C. Leslie of New York has filed a petition alleging that a transfer of the mill property to a creditor's committee on February 1 was fraudulent and asks for a receiver. The mills are valued at \$75,000 and employ 1500 hands.

RAILROAD WAR

May be Caused by the Action of Canadian Lines

HEAVY DAMAGE

Was Done by the Storm in Great Britain

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Related reports men have been drowned at the various

throughout the night after having raged intermittently for four days show damage in many parts of the United Kingdom amounting to thousands of pounds.

In many places roofs were torn from houses, hundreds of trees uprooted, shore coast last night, help down and telegraph and telephone lines laid low. The heaviest drifting toward May Island.

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CIVIL SESSION

CASE OF STEDMAN VS. WILLIAMS AND YOUNG HEARD

In the case of John Stedman against George P. Williams and Harmon Young, an action on a mechanic's lien,

was heard this afternoon in the civil session of the police court. Messrs. Pratt & Devine appeared for the plaintiff, while Daniel J. Donahue and Messrs. McIntire & Wilson represented the defendants. The amount involved is \$100.

THE ARMY MANOEUVRES

MANILA, Feb. 21.—The army manœuvres continue with great interest to all except the natives in the mountains, who are frightened nearly out of their wits. The officers have not been able to convince them that real war is not being carried on.

The Red army of invaders under Gen. Ramsay D. Potts appears to have the advantage, having landed at Subic bay and occupied the passes through the mountains into Pampanga province.

The Blue army of defense is commanded by Gen. Brush.

AMERICAN SCOUTS

Fought in Battle Between the Insurgents and Madriz Forces

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, Feb. 21.—Americans took a very active part in the battle between the insurgents and the Madriz forces at St. Vincente, and one of them at least was badly wounded. They were under Captain Victor Gordon, with General Mena, the contingent being known as the American scouts. The wounded man is William Wilkins, who joined the provisional from Panama. A steel bullet struck the cartridge clip, swinging across his shoulder, near the head, and was deflected, penetrating the arm and leg.

Another scout, G. T. Crosby, was buried when a stone from behind which he was firing, was shattered by a cannon ball. Crosby was thrown to the ground, but he came back to the fight.

In a despatch which he has sent here, Captain Gordon states that the battle began on the 15th. They reached Chinae on the 18th when after ten hours of sharpish attacks and counter-attacks the enemy under General Vasquez retired to a secondary position from where yesterday morning they opened a desultory artillery fire, which ceased entirely at 10 o'clock.

According to Gordon, Vasquez was beaten although his 600 men outnumbered the provisional forces two to one.

Vasquez can receive no reinforcements, and when all Maturi's men arrive and they are expected hourly, General Mena will assume the aggressive, and will attempt to drive Vasquez towards the lake.

Early on the morning of the 18th, the enemy's guns demolished Mena's left trenches, drawing out his force, including the Americans. Mena reformed and recaptured the place. The enemy then opened in front of a new hill, but Mena executed a flanking movement, causing the government troops to retire. In great confusion, they abandoned many rifles and narrowly saved a Maxim. Some of Vasquez's personal effects were taken, and the general himself got away only by a close margin.

The fierceness of the battle is indicated by the fact that two of Mena's guns were disabled. Another was twice dismounted, but each time re-planted, being effective work. Mena's loss was 12 wounded. Gordon is of the opinion that the enemy's loss was heavy as their assaults were delivered across open spaces in the face of artillery.

When the enemy had withdrawn, Frank Reynolds, at the head of five other Americans, hotly pursued them, coming within 50 yards of capturing a Maxim, when they were compelled to cease. At times the bullet shells and shrapnel came so thick that it was difficult to see because of the dust kicked up. One of the enemy's Maxims was captured by assault, this

being the operation in which Wilkins was wounded. He was borne to the rear by comrades in the midst of a hail of bullets.

Once the Americans ran out of ammunition and before a new supply came, were compelled to defend themselves in a hand to hand fight. Five additional Americans under General Zelidon were placed in command of 40 Nicaraguans, with whom they turned the enemy's left flank in a movement which shortly afterward terminated in the enemy's complete retirement.

These Americans were Don M. Turner of El Paso, Texas; J. H. Hermen, of Mascoutah, Ill.; F. E. Thomas, recently of Johannesburg, South Africa; Lewis Ross, of Milwaukee, and T. D. Moore of Dover, Fla.

Upon the enemy's retirement, Mena's cavalry gave chase but were unable to come up before Vasquez had taken shelter on a high hill.

LOST HIS LIFE

MAN PERISHED IN A FIRE IN CHELSEA

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—Samuel Jones, aged 78, a widower, who made his home with his son, Ex-Representative Samuel O. Jones at 143 Bloomingdale street, Chelsea, was burned to death in his room on the top floor of the house shortly after 9 last night. The aged man, who had been in feeble health for a number of years, went to bed smoking his pipe, sparks from which set fire to the clothing.

He was alone in the house at the time of the fire. Ex-Representative Jones was the last to leave going out shortly after eight. His last words to his father were to be sure and leave his pipe in the kitchen before he retired.

The advice, however, was not followed, for the elder Jones went to his room, it is supposed, shortly after his son went out and retired smoking his pipe in the kitchen before he retired.

FAREWELL SERMON

REV. D. A. HUDSON TO LEAVE NORTH CHELMSFORD

Rev. D. A. Hudson preached his farewell sermon at the Second Congregational church, North Chelmsford, last evening, as he leaves March 1 to accept the pastorate of the West End Congregational church at Westbrook, Me. A large congregation attended and after the services all expressed their regret personally to the pastor and wished him success in his new field of labor.

THIEF ESCAPED

After He Had Rifled Cash Register

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 21.—A stranger walked into Joseph F. O'Connor's drug store, Broadway and Shepard streets, at 8 o'clock last evening, held a revolver in front of the clerk, Benedict C. O'Connor, then rifled the cash register. He got about \$40. The only persons in the store at the time were the clerk and Mrs. Lucy Dickinson. The latter was telephoning and did not realize that a holdup was being perpetrated. The thief escaped. It is thought the robber is the same man who entered the office of the Park hotel in the down-town section Saturday evening and ordered the proprietor, Maurice Moriarty, to give him money, pointing a pistol at the hotel man's head at the same time. Moriarty fled to the barroom and gave the alarm. The stranger ran out before the police arrived and soon disappeared.

EGYPT'S PREMIER

Shot by Nationalist Yesterday

CAIRO, Feb. 21.—Boutros Pacha Ghali, the Egyptian premier and minister of foreign affairs, was shot and seriously wounded yesterday by a student, who was arrested after the shooting. The student fired five shots, three of the bullets lodging in the premier's body. Two of them, however, inflicted only superficial wounds. The bullets were extracted and it is practically certain that the premier will recover.

The crime was entirely of a political nature, the would-be assassin being a nationalist. He declared that his motive was a desire to avenge various acts of the government, which the nationalists attribute personally to Boutrous Pacha.

LABOR COUNCIL

MAY HOLD CELEBRATION ON LABOR DAY

Thirty-two unions were represented at the regular meeting of the Trades and Labor council held at 32 Middle street, Sunday afternoon. President Reagan presided.

The council went on record as taking exceptions to the statement of Judge Waite in regard to trade unions being responsible for young men becoming criminals, on account of the apprentice laws. The council believes that if it were not for the trade union regulations there would be more criminals.

The question of holding a big home celebration was discussed and it was the sense of the meeting that there should be a parade in the morning and that the afternoon should be devoted to an athletic meeting, together with a band concert. A committee of six was appointed to place the matter before the various unions.

LOSS IS \$100,000

Hotel Guests Routed From Their Beds

PITTSBURG, Feb. 21.—Two hundred guests at two down town hotels—Newels and the Antler—were routed from their beds at 1 o'clock this morning by a fire sweeping through the six story building of the Family theatre, which is situated between the two hotels. At two o'clock the fire was still confined to the theatre building which had been damaged to the extent of probably \$100,000. The theatre is owned by the Harry Davis amusement Co.

WILL NOT RESIGN

Connors Says He Will Hold Position

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—"I've got just one thing to say," declared William J. Connors, chairman of the democratic state committee here last night. "I'll not resign and I shall still be a democrat whatever happens."

Mr. Connors sat in his suite in the Waldorf-Astoria, having just returned from Palm Beach and canvassed the situation with his supporters. He had hurried north to entrench his position before the expected meeting of the state committee in his hotel in Albany, on Thursday, at which his opponents hope to oust him. He will remain here until Wednesday, when he will go to Albany, and in the interval he expects to see every one of the state committee men individually.

There were two phases of the situation, that Mr. Connors would not discuss last night—the reason why his smouldering quarrel with Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall, has suddenly burst into flame, and the attitude of William Randolph Hearst whose shadow also lies across the political map. One of his advisers was franker, though, he too, declined to let his name be used.

In substance this person said that Murphy moves now because he must either move or die of inaction; nothing else is moving in Tammany hall. Mayor Gaynor's administration goes on lopping branches off the plum tree and no fresh fall in the Tammany basket. Murphy has to be stirring or lose his leadership at home. "If he wins against Connors, he may regain another lease of power to tide over the shallow years of the Gaynor administration; but if he loses, he loses not only at Albany, but in Fourteenth street. Mr. Hearst is saying even less than the ran-baby: Nobody assumed to speak for him with authority, but persons close to him in his last campaign said that, although he has been twice defeated for mayor of New York and once for governor, he stands stronger with the people now than ever.

The greater the disruption in the two established parties they say, the stronger will a third ticket be in the fall, should Mr. Hearst care to put one in the field.

CHURCH BURNED

Property Loss is Estimated at \$20,000

PAWTUCKET, Feb. 21.—The First Universalist church, High street, was badly damaged by fire last night. The loss is estimated at \$20,000 and the property is insured for \$20,000.

There was a service in the church last evening and the people were out of the church at 8:30. At 8 the fire was discovered in the pipe organ loft under the spire. The flames spread to the main church building and a second alarm was sounded, calling out every available fireman and piece of apparatus in the city.

The fire was driven back from the main building into the spire and soon the flames broke out at the very top of the spire, which was 125 feet tall. It was impossible to force the water high enough to reach the flames in the spire.

Burning fiercely, like a beacon light 125 feet in the air, the flames were visible for many miles.

As the flames devoured the peak of the spire pieces of timber fell to the roof of the main building and were scattered about, endangering houses and buildings in the vicinity.

Firemen and fire apparatus from Central Falls were called to aid the local firemen and were kept busy extinguishing fires on the roofs of surrounding buildings.

It was feared the spire would topple over into the street and crush the hundreds of curious who watched the fire. It was also feared it might fall upon the surrounding houses.

The crowds in the streets were repeatedly driven back to prevent accidents from falling timbers.

At midnight the firemen had the flames under control and confined to the space at the foot of the spire. The large pipe organ and all of the furnishings of the church were destroyed, but the main building was partially saved.

The church was a wooden building 80 feet long, 70 feet wide and two stories high, with a vestry. It was built 50 years ago at a cost of \$30,000 exclusive of the cost of the pipe organ and the furnishings.

ON CANADA

LECTURE BY REV. ABBE GAUTHIER LAST EVENING

Rev. ABBE E. E. Gauthier, formerly of St. Louis' church, but now a colonizing agent for the Canadian government, gave a lecture in St. Joseph's hall, Button street, last evening, on the advantages of the north country. The lecture will be repeated this evening.

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SWIMMING RECORD

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Feb. 21.—Alexander Wickham, of Sydney yesterday swam 60 yards in 23 3-5 seconds. This is a new world's record. Wickham holds the former record of 24 3-5 seconds for 60 yards straight-away.

RAISE THE MAINE

Congress Asked to Do So

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Midway in its course the Maine memorial service held by the United Spanish War veterans last night in Carnegie hall, was turned into a demonstration to influence congress to raise the battleship Maine. By a rising vote an audience which filled the hall, adopted a resolution condemning the "spectacle of the rusted hulk of the ship and the rotting bones of its victims, abandoned without sepulture in alien waters" and urging that congress enact legislation for "the immediate removal of the wreck to our own shores and the recovery of the remains of the unclaimed victims for interment in the National cemetery at Arlington."

A copy of the resolution will be sent to the president and vice president, the treasury of the navy and the senate and the house.

Rep. William Sulzer of New York, who has been trying to get a bill to raise the Maine through the house for several years, was the chief speaker.

Among the other speakers were Joseph H. Choate, Rear Admiral Signor, former captain of the Maine and his captain at the time of the disaster, John P. Chadwick.

There were about 1500 Spanish war veterans at the meeting with a sprinkling of Civil war veterans. Seven

BIG LOSS BY WATER

By the breaking of one of our main water sprinklers Saturday morning over \$25,000 worth of Men's, Women's and Boys' Clothing was damaged by water.

FORTUNATELY FOR US, OUR LOSS WAS SATISFACTORILY ADJUSTED AT ONCE BY THE INSURANCE COMPANIES, AND TODAY GOES ON SALE AT ONE-HALF COST AND LESS EVERY ARTICLE OF MEN'S, BOYS' OR WOMEN'S CLOTHING THAT IS IN ANY WAY DAMAGED BY WATER. MOST OF THE GOODS ARE BUT SLIGHTLY SOILED—AND IN SOME CASES WILL QUICKLY DRY OUT CLEAN. THE GREATEST DAMAGE WAS DONE IN OUR LADIES' AND BOYS' DEPARTMENTS, AND IN THESE DEPARTMENTS THE REDUCTIONS WILL BE FOUND THE MOST SEVERE.

MEN'S CLOTHING

MEN'S SUITS, were \$30, now.....	\$19.75
MEN'S SUITS, were \$22.50, now.....	\$13.50
MEN'S SUITS, were \$15.00, now.....	\$9.75
MEN'S SUITS, were \$12.00, now.....	\$7.50
MEN'S OVERCOATS, were \$30, now.....	\$19.00
MEN'S OVERCOATS, were \$25, now.....	\$16.50
MEN'S OVERCOATS, were \$20, now.....	\$13.50
MEN'S OVERCOATS, were \$15, now.....	\$9.75
MEN'S PANTS, were \$7.00, now.....	\$4.85
MEN'S PANTS, were \$5.00, now.....	\$3.65
MEN'S PANTS, were \$3.00, now.....	\$1.65

MEN'S FURNISHING

MEN'S SHIRTS, were \$1.50, now.....	69c
MEN'S SHIRTS, were 75c, now.....	39c
MEN'S HOSE, were 50c, now.....	35c
MEN'S HOSE, were 25c, now.....	17c
MEN'S UNDERWEAR, were 50c, now.....	39c
MEN'S TIES, were 50c, now.....	35c
MEN'S SWEATERS, were \$3.50, now.....	85c
MEN'S SUSPENDERS, were 50c, now.....	39c
MEN'S WOOLEN GLOVES, were 25c, now.....	19c
MEN'S UMBRELLAS, were \$2.00, now.....	\$1.00

BOYS' DEPARTMENT

Boys' Shirts, were 75c, now.....	35c
Boys' Caps, were \$1.00, now.....	10c
Boys' Overcoats, were \$7.50, now.....	\$3.95
Boys' Suits, were \$5.00, now.....	\$2.95
Boys' Suits, were \$4.00, now.....	\$1.95
Boys' Blouse Suits, were \$10.00, now.....	\$3.95

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

Women's Tailored Suits, were \$35, now.....	\$19.75

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LIVELY GAMES

Played by the Basketball Teams

The Worcester Polytechnic five came to Lowell Saturday and defeated the Textile school basketball team by a score of 35 to 27. The game proved to be interesting and well contested up near the close of the game when the locals took a slump and the visitors walked away with the game. Fitzpatrick of the visiting team was the star performer of the game and Kloss did good work. Flynn and Penzel of the local team were very much in evidence during the game. The lineup and summary:

Worcester Po
Floss, rf
Atherton, lf
James, c
Brown, rb
Fitzpatrick, lb
Score: Worcester Polytechnic, 35.
Lowell T. S. 27. Goals from floor.
Fitzpatrick 8, Flynn 6, Kloss 5, Penzel 5, Atherton 2, James 2, Baile, Manning. Goals from foul, Worcester Polytechnic 1, Lowell T. S. 1. Referees: Wood, Timmer, Crane. Time, 20-min. halves.

MITCHELL SCHOOL WON
The Mitchell Boys' school basketball team gave the Rindge Manual Training school '12 team a severe trouncing Saturday, the Billerica boys winning by a score of 44 to 20. The Mitchell team has won ten of the eleven games played so far this season. Lineup and summary:

Mitchell 44
Walnwright, rf
Ryan, lf
Webb, c
Goodwin, rg
Roberts, lg
Goals from the floor—Walnwright 8, Ryan 8, Webb 3, Anderson 3, Duby 2, Hawkes 1, Morse 2, Bellucco 2. Goals from foul—Walnwright 2, Ryan 2. Referee—Foss. Umpire—Holmes. Time—Klimal. Scorer—Newell. Time—20 minute halves.

CHELMSFORD BASKET BALL

Two good games of basketball were played Saturday night in the town hall in Chelmsford. The big game was between the Chelmsford High and Everett Y. M. C. A. second team and the visitors won by a score of 20 to 18. The other game, which was between a team picked from the Chelmsford fire department and the N. Y. N. H. & H. car men was won by the railroad men by a score of 25 to 21. The lineup of the teams follows:

Chelmsford High
Everett Y. M. C. A. Second
Dutton, rf
Douglas, lf
Paasche, c
Russell, rg
T. Sheehan, lg
Chelmsford Fire Dept.
N. Y. N. H. & H. Car Men
W. Belleville, rf
Chas. House, lf
Arthur House, lg
Harry Harmon, rg
Fred Holt was referee for both games with E. H. Harris as timekeeper for the high school and V. L. Parkhurst for the fire department.

WESTFORD ACADEMY LOST

Westford Academy basketball team was defeated by the Stow high school quintet by a score of 38 to 34 Saturday afternoon. The lineup and summary:

Stow
Westford
Harriman, rb
Marriman, lf
Peterson, c
Underwood, lb
Taylor, rb
Score—Stow high, 38; Westford academy, 34. Goals from floor—Harriman 4, Underwood 4, Peterson 3, Taylor 4, Peoney 1, Banister 2, Walkden 2. Goals from foul—Harriman 12, Banister 6, Taylor—Woodward. Referee—Taylor.

"**JIM**" JEFFRIES
Appeared Before 6000 People in 'Frisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Before 6000 spectators, James J. Jeffries, who is to fight Jack Johnson on July 4, appeared in the ring at an athletic carnival yesterday, conducted by Jack Gleason, one of the promoters of the big fight. It was the first time that Californians have seen Jeffries since he signified his willingness to fight Johnson.

The fight-loving people of the city, where Jeffries won his first battle, was impatient to see if he had "come back." From the applause that the retired champion received as he went through his paces it was evident that the punch was satisfied with his condition. He skipped the rope and did shadow fighting and other things to show his speed. When his part of the program was over Jeffries jumped from the ring and sprinted across the baseball field to the clubhouse, outdistancing his trainers.

No announcement was made yesterday as to where the fight will be held.

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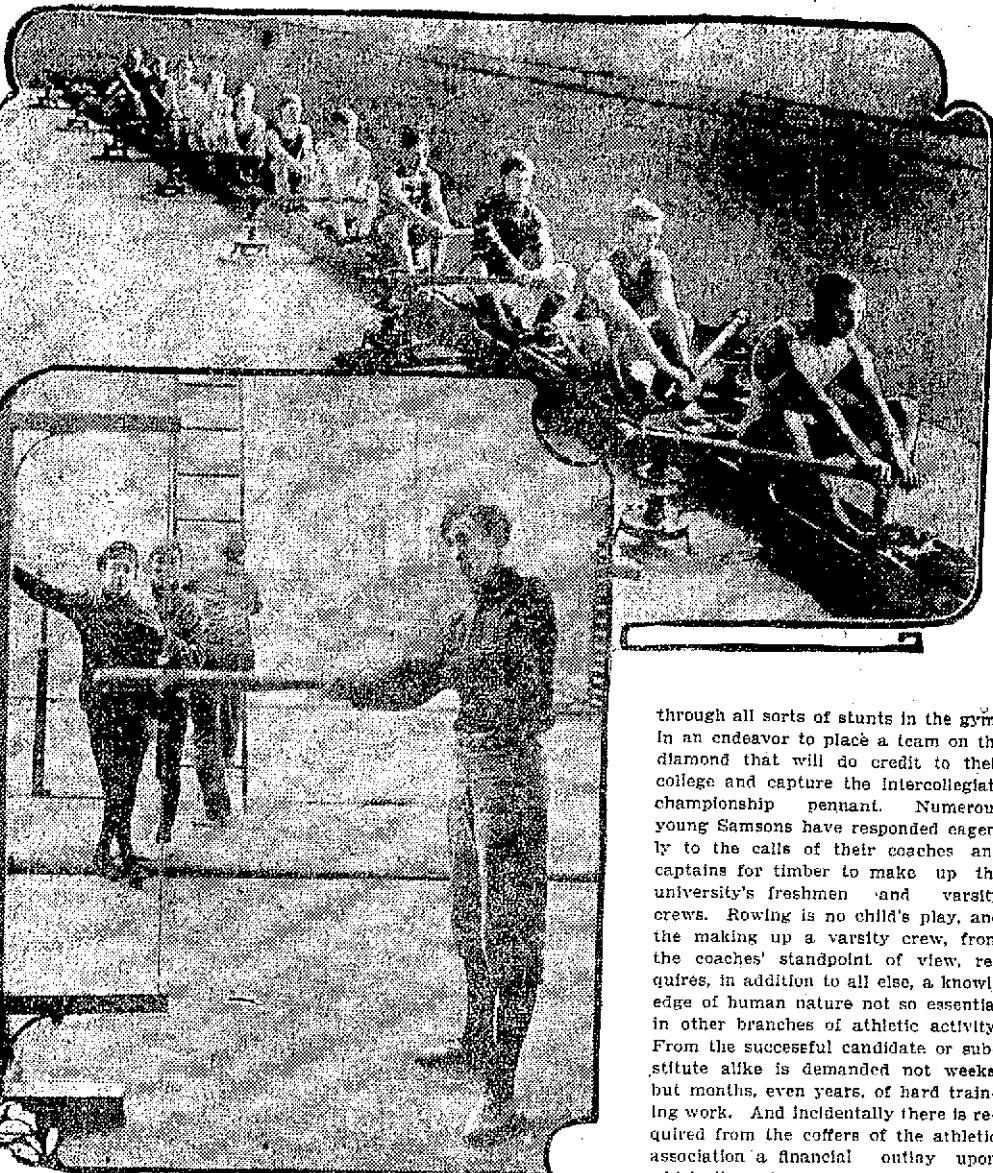
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although Jordan, in calling attention to the fight from the ring yesterday, said it would be held in California. Tex Rickard and Gleason will spend a day or two more looking over the ground before deciding upon the place. Rickard said last night that he was still receiving telegrams from his backers in Salt Lake City instructing him that the Utah city desires to stage the contest.

EACH CONFIDENT
NELSON AND WOLGAST EXPECT TO WIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—"Battling" Nelson is so confident that he will defeat Ad Wolgast at Point Richmond on Washington's birthday that he will meet Louis Bloat and Jimmy Griffin, two promoters representing different clubs, to share their best terms for a 45 round contest between him and "Cyclone" Johnny Thompson, either on the Saturday preceding or the one following Decoration day.

Nelson weighed 133 3-4 pounds yesterday afternoon.

"Wolgast has been strutting around just as Munroe did after he met Jeffries in Montana," he said. "He claimed that he made me back up. Well, I will go after him on Tuesday just as Jeffries went after Munroe and we will see who will back up."

Wolgast is at the weighty notch which will permit him to make the required 133 pounds by fight day with little difficulty. He says he feels he will have little trouble in disposing of Nelson. The betting still remains at 10 to 6, with Nelson a strong favorite.

BOWLING LEAGUE

The Standing of the Teams

The interest in the race for first honors in the Catholic league is growing more interesting each succeeding week. Up to a couple of weeks ago the Alpines had a monopoly on first place, but this week finds them being rather hard pressed by the Y. M. C. I. Tonight the Alpines and Y. M. C. I. meet on the alleys, and that the game will be one of the best of the tournament goes without saying, for it means a great deal to the victors.

McCormack and Henry Farrell of the Alpines still continued to hold first and second positions respectively, in the individual average standing. The standing of the teams is as follows:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Alpines	37	8	92.2
Y. M. C. I.	36	15	75.0
Belvideres	30	15	46.6
C. M. A. C.	35	19	57.1
G. M. C. I.	26	22	54.1
St. Louis	21	18	53.6
Burkers	22	23	48.8
St. Peters	19	30	39.5
Sacred Hearts	18	30	37.5
C. M. C. I.	11	25	27.0
K. of E.	9	35	21.4

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—Coaches and trainers of various colleges are now busily engaged in whipping the athletes of their respective institutions into condition for the coming season, which promises to be one

nothing but the best men possible. Two sports which will demand men of the above type are baseball and rowing. The trainers are putting the candidates for the big college nines

BOXING GOSSIP

The bouts this week are:

MONDAY
Bartley Connally vs. Ted Nelson, London, Eng.
Abe Attell vs. Harry Forbes, Troy.
Patsy Kline vs. Biz Mackey, New York.
Henry Piet vs. Willie Lucas, Eason, Pa.
Eddie Murphy vs. Young Otto, Brooklyn.
Jim Maher vs. Fred Drummond, Holborn, Eng.
Jan Haug vs. Jewey Smith, Sheffield, Eng.
Terry Fitzgerald vs. Jimmy O'Brien, Philadelphia.
Kid Morcer vs. Kid Sheas, Brooklyn.
Curry Belvidere vs. Gus Larrabee, Pat Rocco, Kid Stringer, Young Whalen vs. Vito Belvidere, Paul Trippaneau, Augusta, Me.

TUESDAY
Matt Baldwin vs. Ray Bronson, Max Landy vs. Al Limerick, Jerry Messkill vs. Billy Nixon and Ralph Tickle vs. George Alger, Attomny A. A.

Sam Langford vs. Nat Dewey, Cheyenne, Wyo.

Jimmy Walsh vs. Johnny Kilbane, Pittsburgh.

Arthur Cote vs. Dick Nelson, Manchester, N. H.

Mike Glover vs. Johnny Dohan, New York.

Dick Hyland vs. Grover Hayes, New Orleans.

Bartley Nelson vs. Ad Wolgast, Port Richmond, Calif.

Monte Attell vs. Frank Conley, Vernon, Cal.

C. Smith vs. Bobby Wilson, Schenectady.

Young Erne vs. Jack Britton, Philadelphia.

Dave Sawyer vs. Jim Carr, Portland, Me.

Will King, Y. M. C. A. vs. 90.5

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

	String	Ave.
Bowler and Team	String	Ave.
Fuller, Merrimack	29	91.34
Abbott, Boot	33	94.12
Walmsley, Merrimack	51	92.18
Carroll, Appleton	55	90.3
Lawrence, No. 2	45	90.3
Frankie, Lawrence No. 2	45	90.3
Plumb, Lawrence	45	89.7
Armitstead, Merrimack	61	88.49
Kirby, Boot	51	88.19
Chase, Lawrence	55	88.17
Wardens, Appleton	42	88.1
Webster, Massachusetts	38	87.27
Shaws	44	86.88
Appleton	27	87.56
Lawrence No. 2	25	87.17

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

Young Dyson vs. Kid Cronson, Lynnville, R. I.

Dick Nelson vs. Dan Tighe, Scranton, Pa.

Frankie Nell vs. Abe Attell, New York.

Billy Shevlin vs. Tommy Bergin, Lawrence.

FRIDAY

Jimmy Clabby vs. Young Loughrey, Milwaukee.

Tommy O'Keefe vs. Johnny Hogan, Philadelphia.

Al Limerick vs. Gus Larrabee, Lewiston, Me.

Amateur bouts at Walthrop.

Stanley Ketchell vs. Tony Caponi, Memphis.

Frankie Nell vs. W. Jones, Battell, more.

SATURDAY

Dave Deshler vs. Frank Picato, New Orleans.

Jerry Meskill vs. Danny Murphy, Portland, Me.

Pat Moore vs. Tommy O'Toole, Philadelphia.

THURSDAY

Fredie Maguire, who boxes next

Thursday evening before the Gladstone A. C. of this city made a big hit with the Connecticut sports. In his bout against Kid Shea of Waterbury before the Danbury A. C. last Tuesday evening, The Danbury News reports the

Maguire was the best 115 pound boxer in New England. A special train from Waterbury, which reached this city about 8 o'clock brought in the

Maguire, who was a popular boxer in the neighborhood.

The semi-final event was one of the prettiest boxing exhibitions that has

been seen in this city and was the one in which the greatest amount of interest.

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6 O'CLOCK JUDGE HADLEY

Took Alleged Short Weight Case Under Advisement

Thomas I. Reed, curer of hams and bacon, whose place of business is at Burlington, Mass., appeared in the local police court this morning to answer to a complaint charging him with giving insufficient weight in the sale of bacon, the complaint having been made by Inspector A. S. K. Clark, of the department of weights and measures of the commonwealth.

This case grew out of the delivery of a trifle over one hundred pounds of bacon to J. D. Curley, the John street provision dealer, by an employee of the defendant, in which it is alleged Mr. Curley was charged for the paper that was wrapped around the bacon.

Arthur Russell, who appeared for Mr. Reed, waived the reading of the complaint and entered a plea of not guilty for his client. The government was represented by Daniel C. Palmer, commissioner of weights and measures of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

William A. Barry

William A. Barry, manager at the Curley store, was the first witness called. He testified that he had been employed by Mr. Curley for 14 or 15 years and was authorized to make purchases. On January 31st, when Thos. R. Maxwell, a driver for Mr. Reed, called at the store, witness purchased hams and bacon. The bacon which was in wrapped packages was placed on the scales and weighed 107 1/2 pounds. Mr. Maxwell made out a bill for 107 pounds, had it O.K'd and received payment from the cashier.

Continuing, witness said: "Inspector Clark came to me after the money had been paid to the driver and asked me if I purchased bacon with the wrapper on, and I answered in the affirmative. At the request of Mr. Clark the wrappers were taken off the pieces of bacon and the bacon and wrappers were weighed separately. I weighed the wrappers and found that they weighed 2 pounds and 14 ounces and Mr. Maxwell weighed the bacon, the weight of the latter coming to 105 pounds."

The Driver Testifies

The next witness called was Thomas R. Maxwell, driver for Mr. Reed. After answering the usual preliminary questions, witness said that he had been in the employ of Mr. Reed for about 13 years and that during the past three or four years had been driving a wagon and delivering goods in Lowell. He said that when he called at Curley's market Mr. Barry said he wanted about the same amount of hams and bacon, as usual, which was about 100 pounds. Witness weighed the bacon with the wrappers on, as was his custom, and presented a bill for 107 pounds of bacon at 10 1/2 cents per pound, amounting to \$20.55.

After receiving the money from the cashier, Inspector Clark said to witness: "Have you made allowance for the wrapping paper?" Witness said "No." Mr. Clark then asked if witness thought it right to charge for the paper. Witness answered: "Mr. Reed buys it and why not sell it?"

Cross examined by Lawyer Russell, Mr. Maxwell said that bacon is always sold in wrappers and never had a complaint against charging for the paper until the present time.

Inspector Clark

Amasa S. K. Clark, inspector of weights and measures of the common-

wealth testified to his calling at Curley's store on the date mentioned in the complaint. He went there as a result of a talk which he had had with Mr. Curley, and his purpose in being there at that time was to learn if Mr. Reed was charging Mr. Curley for the paper which was wrapped around the pieces of bacon. Mr. Clark then testified to what occurred and the conversation which he had with Messrs. Barry and Maxwell, which was practically the same as testified to by the two preceding witnesses.

At this point the wrappers which had been removed from the bacon were offered in evidence. Witness said that the wrappers weighed two pounds and 14 ounces and that the bacon weighed a "short 105 pounds."

On cross examination witness testified that his specific purpose in coming to Lowell was to ascertain if Mr. Reed was charging for the paper wrapped around the bacon.

The government's case was rested at this point.

The Defense

The first witness for the defense was a Mr. Skelton, who acted as helper on the wagon. He testified to placing the bacon on the scale and also that wrapped bacon was the only kind carried on the wagon.

Patrick G. Gray, wholesale provision dealer in Boston and chairman of the provision committee of the Boston chamber of commerce, after taking the stand, said he had been in the provision business for 30 years, 20 years of which had been in this state.

He said that it was a universal custom to sell bacon wrapped in paper. It would be unsatisfactory, he said, if the bacon was not covered, as it would be exposed to germs, flies, etc. The paper keeps the meat clean and free from contamination.

On cross-examination witness admitted that the only bacon which he handled did not come wrapped in paper. He got the bacon when it was "green" and sold it to the packers and the latter cured, smoked and wrapped it after which they sold it to the retail trade.

Commissioner Palmer, by questioning the witness, brought out the fact that the retail dealer when selling sliced bacon does not sell the wrapper off the article.

Thomas I. Reed

Thomas I. Reed, the defendant, was the last witness. He said he was a curer of hams and bacon with a place of business at Burlington, Mass., and had been in the business since 1874.

He explained the process of curing bacon and said that he had been wrapping bacon for the past 25 years. He said that there was a demand for wrapped bacon, and the reason for using paper was to keep the meat clean and also to prevent it from shrinking.

He figured out that there was 17 1/2 cents of paper wrapped around a four pound piece of bacon and about a pound package there was 5 1/2 of a cent of paper.

Cross-examined by Commissioner Palmer witness said that he paid from 9 to 11 cents per pound for wrapping paper. Relative to bacon he said that he did not wrap them unless it was so ordered.

After brief arguments had been made by counsel, Judge Hadley took the matter under advisement stating that he would render a decision on March 1.

HIS LEG BROKEN

Man Injured in T. & S. Mills

Raymond Ortiz, residing at 78 South street, had his leg broken while at work at the Tremont & Suffolk mills about seven o'clock this morning. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment.

HIS FINGER BROKEN

William Killings of 131 Railroad street, while at work at the Hamilton Mfg. Co., this morning had the index finger of his right hand broken. He was taken to the Lowell hospital for treatment.

\$125,000 LOSS

Caused by a Fire in Hornell

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 21.—Fire swept through the business section of Hornell early today, causing a loss of more than \$125,000. The fire started in the Wooster-Macy Co.'s department store and entirely destroyed it, and the block it occupied. The flames spread to Seneca street and destroyed the Revell block, a tenement structure driving out a dozen families. For a time a large part of Main street was threatened.

ACTOR CLEMENT DIED SUDDENLY

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 21.—Clay Clement, the actor, died suddenly today at the University hospital here. Cyanide poisoning was the cause of death.

FINE TRACK MEET



WILLIAM CONNELL
(Photo by Sackley.)



RALPH CANNEY
(Photo by Sackley.)

Local High School Defeated the Boston College Preps.

In the high school annex on Saturday evening before a gathering of admirers which taxed the capacity of the bleachers, and the extra floor space, the high school track team scored a victory over the adherents of the "maroon and old gold" of the Boston college prep. track team, and incidentally added another beautiful trophy to its collection. Although in past years the Boston college team have made the local boys exert themselves to their utmost, the team which on Saturday evening opposed the locals was never considered as far as scoring points were concerned, and the best that the visitors could do was to land and tie for second place and win a third, which netted them 6 points.

A peculiar thing about the scoring of the points for the visitors was that Thomas O'Brien, who last year made a grand showing for the local school, was its opposing runner in the 1000 yard event this year and managed to land second place, and win a third, which netted them 6 points.

A remarkable thing about the relay races between the pupils of the various grammar schools of the city are proving to be the least interesting part of the track meet in the annex, and the team which ran on Saturday evening produced some of the fastest boy runners that have ever taken part in the athletic events in the annex. Interest in these meets is intense and the rivalry of the participants is keen. The races are held during the rest period of the main meet and are thoroughly enjoyed not alone by the boys but also by those present.

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The trophy given the victor on Saturday evening was placed on a table in the centre of the hall, while the meet was in progress, and was much admired.

There will be no meet on next Saturday evening as the local team will participate in the athletic events which are held annually in Mechanics building in Boston. These events are the only ones held in which the teams that take part in them do not know what their opponents will be until they are notified of the selection which the officials of the meet have made for them. The Lowell high boys have always been pitted against one of the officials of the meet has made for them. The Lowell high boys have always been pitted against one of the officials of the meet has made for them. The Lowell high boys have always been pitted against one of the strongest relay teams in the meet, and this year has proved to be no exception to the rule, as Lowell has been matched with the Providence Tech.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

WHO'S RESPONSIBLE FOR THE THIRTY-TWO LIVES?

The navy department seems to have shown poor judgment in sending out a frail tug like the Nina in the teeth of a storm without any proper protection and without even being equipped with the wireless. Somebody's mismanagement is responsible for the loss of thirty-two lives and the tiny craft. The master should be investigated.

UNDER A CONSTITUTIONAL CLOAK.

In the district of Columbia, Judge Wright of the supreme court has summoned three United States senators to tell why they did not award a paper contract to the lowest bidder which was a Holyoke concern. The senators stand upon their constitutional privilege that Judge Wright has no power to compel their presence in such a case, and thus the United States senate has to cover three of its members under a constitutional cloak.

THE SOUTHBRIDGE BANK INVESTIGATION.

Already a committee of the legislature has begun the investigation of the Southbridge bank embezzlement. The committee should determine first, how Treasurer Hall continued during sixteen years to loot the bank; second, whether in all that time the directors did anything to prevent or detect such looting; third, whether the bank examiners took any steps likely to enable them to ascertain whether any of the bank officials were dishonest or whether the board of directors was performing its duties.

It is to be hoped that the investigation will go to the bottom of the affair so that not only Treasurer Hall may be punished but also those who by their negligence allowed his peculations to go so long undetected.

COMMISSIONER O'MEARA'S STATEMENT.

Police Commissioner O'Meara of Boston has come out emphatically against the imputation made by the Watch and Ward society to the effect that white slavery exists to a surprising extent in Boston. The police commissioner makes a strong statement and one that certainly discredits anything in the line of statistics that has been put out on this question. We are inclined to believe him when he asserts that statistics of this character must from the very nature of the subject be wholly worthless. We believe also that Boston is not a bad city as compared with New York, Philadelphia, Chicago or many other cities of first magnitude. It would indeed be a disgrace to the city of Boston if the contention of the Watch and Ward society were true as the number set forth in the report of that society is calculated to shock the people who know nothing of the subject and who have believed that Boston had been cleaned up morally as well as otherwise.

THE SULPHUROUS ORATORY OF SENATOR DAVIS.

That was a hot speech made by Senator Davis of Arkansas in denunciation of Rockefeller and the Standard Oil company. "I thank God," he said, "that I have never made an exhibition in favor of the Standard Oil."

That sounds like the language of the Publican in the scriptures who thanked God that he was not like other men. But is Davis any better than his calmer colleagues of the senate? Yet he went further and said: "Before God, Mr. President, I'd rather have my right hand forget its earning, my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth and the mother who bore me disown me than appear here as an advocate of such a concern as the Standard Oil company," and wound up with the assertion that hell is the only place he would like to see Mr. Rockefeller enter with his oil pipes.

Now, all this serves rather to show that Davis is a man of fiery temper and weak judgment than that the Standard Oil company is a law-breaker or that John D. Rockefeller is a wicked man. The Standard Oil is a monopoly that should be restrained by law, but it will not be affected in the least if Senator Davis should keep up his frothy and sulphurous denunciations for the rest of his natural life.

HIGH SCHOOL EXTENSION.

The local high school and annex are both crowded to the doors so that increased space must be provided in the very near future.

No doubt many residents of the Highlands and other outlying districts would favor the building of a new high school at some distance from the present, but this would entail great expense as it would require the duplication of teachers. For the present and for many years to come it may be set down as an axiom, that Lowell cannot afford a second high school.

In Saturday's Sun appeared an important article in which the views of a public school official were given as to the best method of increasing the accommodation in the high school. He would recommend the extension of the annex to Kirk street and the addition of two cells to the high school, one on Kirk street and the other on Anne street. He would also favor the construction of a subway from the high school to the annex for the protection of the pupils who have to pass between the buildings in stormy weather.

In connection with these improvements the same official suggested that the high school should have its own heating and lighting plants and also that if the public hall were built on the lot bounded by Paige, French, John and Brookings streets it might be heated from the high school plant.

The site suggested for the public hall is one of the best that could be selected. Indeed, it has no superior in point of centrality and meeting the demands of public convenience except the White lot between Brookings and Bridge streets. Both these lots afford access on all sides and a car line on two sides, while one is but a few rods from Merrimack square and the other less than a minute's walk. Here, then, are two building problems to be considered by the city council, and it seems that both might be concreted as suggested.

The public hall, however, should be built during the coming summer, while it is not likely that the high school matter will be reached this year, although the crowding is already quite uncomfortable.

SEEN AND HEARD

It hasn't been observed that what the barefoot dancer saves on shoes and stockings she devotes to increasing the rest of her costume.

The easier a man falls in love, the easier he falls out again.

You can get a good meal at a low priced restaurant for what you pay at a fashionable restaurant for having the waiter help you on with your overcoat.

When the successful man tells about his early life, young men in the neighborhood are expected to listen with awe to the recital of his exploits, even though they know well enough that he is lying.

The people who believe that the truth should be spoken at all times should never go fishing for a compliment.

Poor people seldom have nervous prostration. They can't afford it.

When a young man goes actively into politics, he tries to look as if he were a great benefactor to the human race, but everybody knows that his real object is to increase his income.

Cross-examination frequently makes a cross witness.

Another good thing about February is that fewer people are married than in any other month; so that you don't have to use up all your money buying wedding presents.

The woman who admires her own beauty can be endured, but it is hard to get along with the man who thinks that he is handsome.

Supposing you should read an advertisement in the paper that a claimant would answer any question if the inquirer should send a line of his hair, and you believed in the ability of clairvoyants, and you wanted awfully to know something, and you were as bald as Mr. Rockefeller!

One reason why people who are arguing show so little sense is that people with sense generally avoid getting into an argument.

It is very seldom necessary to catch a boy in school that he is working too hard.

If women wearing long, tight sleeves are as uncomfortable as they look, then men have reason to be sorry for them.

Did you ever look over the briar-root scattered around the parlor and wish you had the money that it cost?

A foot and his money in time are very likely to get to Wall street.

Another way to make money go far is to buy a two-cent stamp and address a letter to the Philippines.

SAVING

Save a little every day. And in time you'll have a lot. Every saved-up dollar helps.

Put on top of what you've got. Live within your weekly wage.

Every day put some aside. Always this has meant success.

Every time it has been tried.

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Never spend quite all you earn.

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CATHOLICS WARNED

Archbishop Sees Danger in War Against Ideals

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—A gathering of probably 1800 men and women attended a mass meeting of the Suffolk county branch of the American Federation of Catholic Societies held yesterday afternoon in St. Alphonsus Hall, Roxbury.

The principal speakers were Arch-

mean that you could divorce as much as you wish. The sacrament of marriage should be abolished. I am told, is taught in some of the colleges, a teaching which must be followed by despair, suicide and the like, and we are to sit quietly by while such infamous doctrines are handed out to even little children around and about us.

"There is a danger. There are thousands upon thousands who believe in nothing. These we are not responsible for. They have specious ideals and are spreading moral and intellectual degradation.

"We gather our forces under the shield of the church, and denounce these ideals as we would the devil with his pomp. It is no longer carried on in the schools, but it is down upon us in the theatres, in the plays, in the books. Beware of it. As Catholics you are bound to have your knowledge strengthened by facts, hence as Catholics you are expected to be on your guard."

His address was based almost entirely on the life and works of Ludwig Windhorst, whom he styled the German Catholic liberator. He pledged to the archbishop that the German Catholics of the country would remain united in the work of the Federation of Catholic societies.

The gathering was called to order by the Rev. Father Hayes, who extended the greetings of the parish to the archbishop and to those who are engaged in the work of the organization. He presented the president of the Suffolk county branch, Jeremiah E. Burke, as presiding officer.

Archbishop O'Connell, upon being introduced was received with thunderous applause and the waving of handkerchiefs, and when the demonstration subsided said in part:

"The city of Boston will ever become a truly Christian city if it must be on the ground" investigation of the Southbridge bank will, according to indications, be under way by the middle of the week. The orders allowing the expense necessary will probably go into the house or senate today or Tuesday and the organization of the committee and the securing of the staff necessary for the work will be task easily completed.

The first aim of the committee is to stimulate our ardor and our energy to forward what the church intended. We have no schemes to spring upon an unsuspecting public, our work is open, our plans are plain, and we are glad to have all understand them.

"What is our plan? Have we reason for alarm that we should get together just now?

An Imminent Danger

"There is an imminent danger. Many who claim to be intellectual leaders are seeking the destruction of organized religion. One man points out that Christian Science is injuring the cause of religion. So it is; but that doesn't affect us.

"There is a war, not to be fought with dynamite, but against ideals, against Christian principles. These intellectual leaders tell us that Christianity is a failure. They don't tell us this in France, but right here in Boston.

"But what have you to give us in return? To this there is no definite answer. They give us specious words—new thought as old as paganism.

"They deal in impersonalities, and are to get out of it the glory of the state. This is nonsense. It would

mean that you could divorce as much as you wish.

the committee, as has been explained, is aiming at:

IN A COFFIN

BRIDEGROOM WAS CARRIED

THROUGH CITY'S STREETS

STREATOR, Ill., Feb. 21.—Carried through the streets in a coffin at 10 o'clock at night was the gruesome experience of A. A. Solon, a young undertaker of this city, who recently was married. He was a member of the Streator Bachelor club and his marriage was made the occasion for a memorial, at which a mock trial took place.

The undertaker was tried, found guilty by a jury of unmarried men and put under the "death" penalty. The "sentence" was submitted to a severe electric shock, after which he was placed in the coffin, which bore the inscription, "Not dead, but married."

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A SUICIDE NOTE

Balked Act of Man Who Wanted to Die

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The contemplated suicide of Louis Wittmann, 61 years old, a landscape gardener, of Rye, N. Y., as announced by himself in a letter to his wife Friday night, did not take place as scheduled. The Hoboken police appeared on the scene of the projected act Saturday morning in time to prevent it.

Mr. Wittmann, according to information developed when his wife went to Hoboken to take him home, had been sent to that city on Monday by his employer to buy a parrot that had been advertised for sale. Arrived there, he took up quarters in the Hoboken Deutsches, No. 325 Washington street, and then, before proceeding to serious negotiations, decided to pay a

visit to some of the places of interest in the city.

When he returned to the hotel next morning filled with souvenirs, inventory of his effects showed that if he would accomplish his mission he must raise more funds, which he did by pawning his watch. A second balancing of accounts two days later necessitated a further replenishing of the exchequer by the hypotheching of his watch chain for \$15.

On Friday night, after a third accounting, Wittmann wrote to his wife telling what he had done and declaring that as he was ashamed to go home he would kill himself then and there. When Mrs. Wittmann received the letter Saturday morning she at once turned it over to the Rye police, and they telephoned to Hoboken.

Chief of Detectives Julius Nelson hurried to the hotel and burst open the door of Wittmann's room. The room was filled with gas from an open jet and Wittmann, unconscious, was curled up in an arm chair beside the window.

Wittmann was brought back to consciousness by Police Surgeon Arlitz. He was then arraigned before Reporter McGovern, who directed that he be held until his wife arrived and then turned over to her, which was done.

A richly dressed woman accompanying Mrs. Wittmann who refused to give her name, but whom the latter addressed as Mrs. Molley or Mollett, said she could not account for Wittmann's suicidal mania.

"He is manager of my estate," she said, "engaged every man on it, and both myself and myself have always regarded him as a man of ability and good common sense."

Wittmann did not get the parrot, but took home a canary instead.

TRAFFIC BLOCKED BY ACCIDENT TO A CAR ON APPLETON STREET

Electric car traffic in Appleton street was blocked for some little time Saturday night as a result of one of the double track electric cars on the Chelmsford line leaving the track near the corner of Faxon street. The car when brought to a standstill was in a position which made it impossible to operate cars on either the inward or outward rails. The wrecking crew was summoned into service and its members soon had the electric clear of one rail so that traffic on the lines was made after a fashion. It was after midnight before the tracks were cleared.

BIG DREADNOUGHT AND CRUISER TO TAKE DEAD MAN TO HIS HOME



WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Conveying to Brazil the remains of the late Joa-

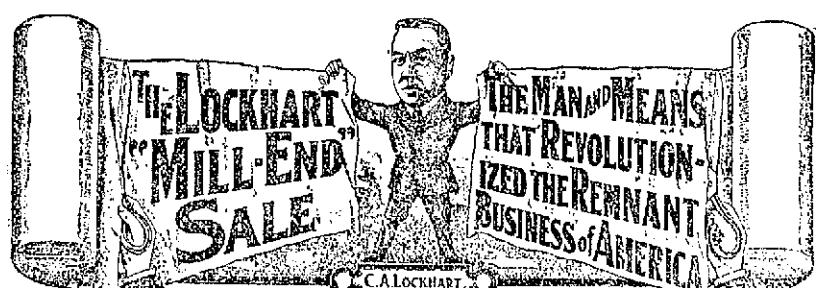
quin Nabuco, ambassador to the United States, who died suddenly in Washington a few weeks ago, will be the American, British and other navies. She is on her maiden trip from England, where she was built for the Brazilian government, to her home country. Her displacement is 19,250 tons. Minas Geraes is the name of one of the states of Brazil. That country has adopted the American system of naming its biggest ships for its states.

JOHN S. BACKMAN, Pres.

JOHN J. BURNS, Sec.

MATTHEW SCOTT, Treas.

The Second Lockhart "Mill End" Sale



It was a sight Saturday, the principal streets were full of marching hosts and all the trolley cars were crowded. Why? The second Lockhart "Mill End" Sale opened Saturday, and all day and throughout the evening there was an overflow crowd as great as the big Christmas throngs.

After a day's rest for our salespeople we started in this morning with renewed vigor. New lots of "Mill Ends" will be put on sale the coming week. No unworthy merchandise is offered in this sale. We covet the best of everything.

What Is a Bargain?

Come to this sale and you will find this question answered in every department in the store to your complete satisfaction.

Don't Lose Your Share of These Bargains

THE GILBRIDE CO. On the Corner

SEN. TILLMAN

Is Showing Signs of Improving

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—This picture of Senator Benjamin R. Tillman of South Carolina was made from the last photograph taken of the stricken man. The snapshot was made on Wash-



Who Fills Your Prescriptions?

Your answer to this question will immediately be "the druggist in whom I have confidence." But did it ever occur to you that in the ordinary drug store your prescription cannot always be taken care of by the druggist in whom you place so much trust? It's simply impossible for him to remain at his post of duty indefinitely. The clerk in charge, in most cases, looks after the soda fountain and does the general house-work of the store as well as the dispensing. You cannot expect special skill in filling prescriptions from him.

We employ only registered pharmacists of proved ability who do nothing but fill prescriptions, and in this they are expert. Their hours are short so that they have time for recreation. Our reputation for dispensing fresh and best quality drugs is known to thousands, and our prices are the very lowest.

Test This Service!

HALL & LYON CO.

Of New England
Apothecaries

67-69 MERRIMACK STREET

The Bon Marché

Monday Evening Sale

FROM 6 TO 9:30 O'CLOCK ONLY

CHAMOIS GLOVES (Street Floor) 59c
6 inch Biarritz gloves in white and natural, all sizes. Regularly \$1.00 Monday Evening Price 50c

LINEN CENTER PIECES (Street Floor) 18c
All linen, stamped with attractive floral designs for embroidery. Regularly 39c Monday Evening Price 19c

MEN'S NEGLIGE SHIRTS (Street Floor) 29c
Some are slightly soiled but all are of 50c quality, and there's a good variety of patterns, sizes 14 to 16 1-2. Regularly 50c Monday Evening Price 29c

REMANENTS OF DRESS TRIMMINGS (Street Floor) 1c Yard
Some of these have been selling at 25c and 39c. It's a lot of odd pieces that we feel sure of selling at this week's sales. Regular 25c and 15c Monday Evening Price 1c

BELT PINS (Street Floor) 10c
And belt buckles, some are of rose gold, some silver gray and some are enamelled. These all sold at a quarter. Monday Evening Price 10c

SILK PETTICOATS (Second Floor) \$3.29
45 taffeta silk petticoats in stripes, plaids and plain colors, brown, light blue, red, green, gray. These have been selling at \$5, \$6 and \$7. No blacks Monday Evening Sale \$3.29

LADIES' HOSE (Street Floor) 19c
Fine Maco yarn, split sole, spliced heel, very elastic top, Hermisdorf black, all sizes. Regularly 25c Monday Evening Sale 19c

MANTLE SCARFS (Second Floor) 39c
Silk aline mantel scarfs, two and two and a half yards long with fancy fringe all round. Variety of patterns. Regularly 59c Monday Evening Price 39c

HAIR NETS (Street Floor) 5c
Large all over hair nets, all shades. Regularly 10c Monday Evening Price 5c

BOYS' UNDERWEAR (Street Floor) 19c
Fleece Jersey shirts and drawers in natural gray, sizes 24 to 34. Regularly 25c Monday Evening Price 19c

DRESS FASTENERS (Street Floor) 1c
The well known Not-a-Hook snap fasteners in white and black, regular full size cards. Regularly 5c Monday Evening Sale 1c

LADIES' UMBRELLAS (Street Floor) \$1.00
Two plain red silk, 1 brown silk and 14 all black, natural boxwood and fancy handles. Regularly \$1.75 to \$2.75 Monday Evening Price, \$1.00

SILK REMNANTS (Street Floor) 17c
Of plain and fancy Japonica silk, 1 to 4 yards, in a large variety of colors. Regularly 39c to 49c Monday Evening Price 17c

SHIRT WAISTS (Street Floor) 59c
Tailored waists in white and with fine colored stripes, an excellent value, all sizes. Regularly 98c Monday Evening Price 59c

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS (Second Floor) 25c
Blue chambray only, trimmed with red piping, sizes 2 to 5 years. Regularly 29c Monday Evening Price 25c

FURNITURE POLISH (Street Floor) 3c
20 bottles Many Use Oil, for all hard polished surfaces. Regularly 10c Monday Evening Price 3c

25 bottles White House Paste. Regularly 10c Monday Evening Price 3c

SILK CREPE SCARFS (Street Floor) 25c
And figured China silk scarfs, 1-1/2 and 2 yards long, hem-stitched ends, colors white, pink, blue, lavender and black. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.50 Monday Evening Price 25c

FILET NET (Street Floor) 25c
A chance to buy the material for a handsome waist for little money, 44 inches wide and it takes 2 1-2 yards for a waist, ecru color only. Regularly 75c Monday Evening Price 25c

BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES 89c
Blucher cut, broad toes, heavy soles, sizes for boys 5 to 12 years of age. Regularly \$1.25 and \$1.49 Monday Evening Price 89c

No such opportunity for saving on wearing apparel has ever been offered in Lowell as comes to you in the New Buyer's Sale in our Cloak and Suit Department today.

LADIES' NIGHT

Fine Program Arranged by Elks

NEW ECZEMA REMEDY

Stops Itching At Once

The new remedy Cadum has astonished the medical world. Many cures of eczema and other distressing skin diseases are reported, and the remarkable feature in most cases is the quickness of the cure. Eczema is not a blood disease, but a skin affection. It cannot be cured by internal medicines. External treatment is absolutely necessary. Since the introduction of Cadum eczema is now recognized as a curable disease, and that tormenting affliction has been robbed of its terrors. Cadum stops the itching at once and begins the healing process with the first application. It destroys disease germs, relieves inflammation and is soothing and healing to the skin. From the moment it is applied to any skin trouble immediate relief is felt. It is for pimples, blisters, hives, tetter, itch, acne, herpes, scaly skin, pruritis, rash, chafings, eruptions, sores, scurvy, seabs, blackheads, itching piles, etc. Trial box 10c; large box 25c; all druggists.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Wax" column.

WOMEN'S MISSIONS

Are in Progress in the Local Catholic Churches

Large Congregations at All the Services—Mission for Men Was Opened at the Sacred Heart Church—Other Catholic Notes

The men's mission opened at the Sacred Heart church last evening with one of the largest congregations of men ever assembled in the spacious edifice.

Services opened with remarks by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., pastor of the church. He complimented the men on their large numbers and urged them to continue the grand start they had made. Rev. Fr. Cornell, O. M. I., then recited the rosary with the congregation.

He said: "I must congratulate and compliment you, my dear men, for the grand start you have made. It is gratifying to the missionaries as well as your parish priests to see such a grand response to our call. It also demonstrates the faith that is in you, and I sincerely hope that you will continue the work you have started."

The speakers then gave an instruction of the importance of keeping the commandments. The sermon of the evening was delivered by Rev. John M. McRory, O. M. I. He took as his text: "This is the acceptable time; this is the time of salvation." He pointed out the opportunity the priests of the parish had furnished to the parishioners to make their Easter duty by having the mission at this time.

Following the sermon, solemn benediction of the blessed sacrament was given. Rev. Fr. McRory was celebrant, and he was assisted by Rev. Fr. Smith, and Rev. Fr. Fletcher as deacon and sub-deacon, respectively.

At the 5 o'clock mass this morning a large congregation was present. Rev. Fr. McRory celebrated mass and gave the instructions.

The services during the week will

IF YOU'RE TOO THIN
—How to Get A Superb Figure
WITHOUT A PENNY
OF COST



All you have to do is to write, saying, "Send me your free treatment and illustrated booklet."

Send you absolutely without penance, Dr. Whitney's "Flesh Builder"—a treatment that has been delighting women with its permanent results for over ten years.

Half a part of your figure which is undeveloped—is too small—if your shoulders, arms or limbs are not prettily rounded—if there are hollows in your cheeks, neck or upper chest, this treatment will convince you that by its use you may quickly secure a firm, healthy, well built, shapely neck and shoulders, handsomely moulded arms and properly developed limbs.

It makes no difference whether your thinness is caused by sickness or inheritance. Dr. Whitney's "Flesh Builder" acts directly on the fat-producing cells and fills them with healthy tissue.

Being a purely vegetable preparation, it gives a better fit to the complexion and a finer texture to the skin by its perfect blood making qualities.

Treatment No. 1 is the general system flesh builder for married women. No. 8 is for giving development to the skin without affecting other parts of the body. Please say which treatment you prefer, as only one sample can be sent.

The sample proves these facts. Remember, the trial costs you nothing. But if advertising this free trial overreaches us, it will be withdrawn; so don't delay.

THE C. L. JONES CO.
Friend Building, Elmira, N.Y.

GEO. H. WOOD
Wholesale and Retail Jeweler

Chafing Dishes

We are closing out a big line of chafing dishes at wonderful bargain prices at our special sale. A chafing dish is not only useful but ornamental as well, and you can get one at the sale, the regular price of which is \$5.00, at \$3.49. Our new spring and summer goods have arrived, and there is more to follow. We must have the room to display these goods. That is why we are marking all chafing dishes at about half price. Do not fail to call and examine.

If you want an umbrella it will pay you to call. We have got just what you want in price and quality.

Chafing Dish Spoons, regular price \$1.50. Sale price 89c

THE BIG BARGAIN STORE
GEO. H. WOOD
137 TO 151 CENTRAL ST.

Pierre going to St. Joseph's and Rev. Fr. Bonaventure to St. Jean Baptiste's. The mission for women at Notre Dame de Lourdes church, conducted by Rev. Fr. Conrad was closed yesterday afternoon and the men's mission opened in the evening.

BOSTON BAKER

Had a Narrow Escape From Death

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—David Paretsky, a baker, narrowly escaped death by being caught in the paddles of a kneading machine while at work at 10 North street yesterday morning. Only the man's coolness and presence of mind saved him from death.

While being dragged into the machine he managed to throw the belt off the pulley that furnished power to the big artificial bread mixer and stopped the machine.

He was taken into the Relief station suffering from a lacerated wound of the left side of his body and contusions and abrasions of both legs.

At the time of the accident he was feeding dough to the mechanical kneader. He turned to pick up something from the floor and as he did his working coat got caught in the jaw-like projection of one of the big paddles that kneads the dough.

He shouted for help, but his cries for aid were not heard by his brother workmen, who were at work in another part of the building.

He tried to extricate himself from his coat as the heavy paddles slowly swung him into the machine. He was partially dragged into the mixer when, with his left arm, he threw the belt off the pulley that furnished power to the machine. His clothes had already been torn from his body, and when he released himself from his position he fell to the floor unconscious from fright and pain.

There he was found by his fellow workmen.

DOG STOPS FIRE

By Using Trick He Was Taught

WORCESTER, Feb. 21.—Edward W. Smith of 107 Paine street has a little run bloodied Boston bulldog which he will not part with under any money consideration. Mr. Smith has put in considerable time teaching the dog tricks, among them being to paw out a small flame, which proved to be of considerable value to Mr. Smith during the past week, preventing a serious fire which threatened to destroy his highly prized pair of horses.

Most dogs naturally fear any blaze, but little Duchess has been trained to jump on lighted matches and paper in such a manner as to put the fire out and not injure herself.

Mr. Smith visited his stable at a late hour Saturday night, to be sure everything was safe. Leaving the stable he remembered one of the windows had not been fastened and, returning five minutes later, heard Duchess jumping and pawing about in the loft and there was an odor of burned hay and smoke.

Hurrying up the stairs to the loft, he found the dog pawing over the remnants of a small paper and hay fire, whimpering with pain as the sparks singed her paws.

PREMIER IS DEAD

He Was Shot by a Student

CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 21.—Boutros Ghali, the Egyptian premier and minister of foreign affairs, who was shot by a student yesterday, died at 8:30 this morning.

Mr. Nolan last night received a score of boys into the newly-formed junior branch of the Holy Name society. He pinned a badge on the breast of each lad and made to the gathering a brief and impressive talk on the reverence due to the house of God. The junior branch has a religious meeting once a month.

It was announced that a week's retreat for the men of the parish would begin on Sunday, March 6.

Missions for Women

The missions for married women at St. Joseph's and St. Jean's churches closed yesterday afternoon and those for the unmarried women opened last evening. The missionaries will exchange pupils this week. Rev. Fr.

HEARING ON DEMURRER

Next Thursday, February 24, is the date fixed by the superior court at Cambridge for the hearing on a demurrer filed by the defendant in the case of George H. Brown vs. John H. Harrington. The demurrer sets forth that in the article alleged to be libelous the plaintiff was not accused of any act except forcing out the old board of charity and appointing another board and from this official act resulted unfortunate conditions at the city farm which were pointed out by a member of the board which the plaintiff appointed.

WOULD BAR FOREIGNERS

TOKIO, Feb. 21.—A bill was introduced in the diet today providing that no foreigner may own land in Japan unless he is a native of a country which permits Japanese to own land within its boundaries.

EX-SULTAN VERY ILL

VIENNA, Feb. 21.—The condition of former Sultan Abdul Hamid grows worse, according to a despatch from Saloniki, which adds that the royal prisoner and his harem were today removed to Constantinople.

1000 FREE BOTTLES

That Howard's Pine-Balsam may be tried without expense we are going to give away 1000 free samples. No purchase required, simply ask for one and we'll gladly give it. We want everybody to know how good a cough cure we have. One dose relieves. Pleasant to take and safe for children. Large bottles 25c. Howard's druggist, 197 Central street. (Few people realize how dangerous to constipation. Howard's Compound Cascara Pill 25c cure it.)

LODGE VS. AMES

Latter Suspects the Former of Misrepresenting Him

Relative to the Weeks Forestry

Bill Now Before Congress—

Sec. McKenna Receives Replies From Senator Crane and Congressman Ames

As the result of instructions received at a meeting of the directors of the board of trade Sec. McKenna recently addressed communications to Senator Crane and Congressman Ames relative to the Weeks forestry bill now before congress asking their support of the measure.

Today Sec. McKenna received replies from both statesmen which are self-explanatory and are as follows:

United States Senate, Washington, D. C., Feb. 18, 1910. Mr. John A. McKenna, Secretary Board of Trade, Lowell, Massachusetts.

My Dear Sir: I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. in reference to the Weeks forestry bill. In spite of numerous reports circulated among the several forestry journals and printed by numerous papers in the state, I am not opposed to the Weeks forestry bill, but am very much in favor of it, and am so recorded upon the only vote the house has had upon the matter. I will be glad to do everything in my power to assist Mr. Weeks. I have my suspicions that this unjust attack on my position emanated from Lodge sources.

Very sincerely, Signed, W. M. Crane.

THROWN FROM AUTO

Boy Implored the Chauffeur to Stop the Machine

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Clinging with all his might to the running board of an auto which had just knocked down and injured his father today, nine year old John Hutchinson, Jr., a Brooklyn boy, valiantly implored the driver of the car to stop.

"Get off or we'll knock you off," was the only answer he got, the boy declares. The three women and two men in the machine finally pushed the lad into the pavement, he told the police, but not before he had secured the number of the car.

Although the automobile was being rapidly speeded up, the lad was little hurt by his fall.

MR. HUTCHINSON, Sr., was seriously

cut and bruised and suffered from

shock. The police sent out a general

alarm for the capture of the auto-

mobilians.

CHAMBERLAIN REACHES CANNES

CANNES, France, Feb. 21.—Joseph

Chamberlain the British statesman who

is in feeble health, arrived here to-

day.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the household furniture and dwellings of Walter L. Parker of 270 Wilder street, damaged by fire yesterday morning.

Nelson's Colonial Store
Clearance Sale

This will be the greatest Furniture, Rug and Drapery Sale of the year, starting today and ending Monday, February 28th. Shrewd buyers should take advantage of this sale and find out why it saves to pay cash.

FOURTH FLOOR

59c Ruffled Muslin Curtains, 5 narrow tucks and H. S. ruffle. Sale price 49c pair

98c Ruffled Muslin Curtains, plain, tucked and figured. Sale price 79c pair

\$1.25 Flat Muslin Curtains, plain tucked and figured, 2 1-2 yards long, very sheer muslin. Sale price 98c pair

Odd lots of Real Cluny and French Bonaz Curtains, made on double thread net, 2, 3 and 4 pair lots. Regular prices \$1.98 to \$6.50. Sale prices

\$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.98, \$3.49, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.50

Special Closing Out Sale 70 pairs Irish Point Curtains, suitable for parlors, 7 styles to select from. Sale price \$2.98

\$1.69 Scotch Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, fine quality, choice assortment. Sale price \$1.25 pair

\$2.98 Scotch Lace Curtains, extra fine quality, suitable for parlor or sitting rooms. Sale price \$1.98 pair

Colored Cross Stripe Curtains, regular prices 89c to \$1.98. Sale prices 59c, 79c, 98c and \$1.49 pair

Couch Covers, 60 inches wide, 3 yards long, with or without fringe. Sale prices

75c, 98c, \$1.37, \$1.98, \$2.49 and \$2.98 each

Manufacturer's Closing Out Sale of Portieres, sold for \$4.98 and \$5.50. Sale prices \$3.49 and \$3.95 pair

Drummer's Sample of French and English Cretons. Sale price 19c each

17c Burlap, 36 inches wide, green and brown. Sale price 12 1-2c yard

Silk Floss Pillows, regular prices 45c and 55c.

22 ln. 29c each; 24 ln. 39c each

30c Window Shades, white and colored. Sale price 25c each

25c Scrim, 40 inches wide, for long or sash curtains. Sale price 19c yard

15c Cross Stripe Scrim, 36 inches wide, red, blue and yellow. Sale price 10c yard

69c Mantel Scarfs, 2 yards long with fringe. Sale price 49c each

A new lot of Bigelow Rugs, slightly mismatched, just received from the mill.

9x12 Bigelow Axminster, slightly mismatched, \$30 rug. Sale price \$18.50

9x12 Bigelow Axminster double panel rug. Sale price \$14.75

9x12 Bigelow Axminster Rugs with borders on ends only. Sale price \$12.95

8-3x10-6 Bigelow Axminster Rugs, slightly mismatched, \$28 rug. Sale price \$16.95

9x12 Wilton Velvet, slightly mismatched, \$22 rug. Sale price \$11.95

9x12 Best Tapestry Seamless Rug, worth \$22. Sale price \$15.00

9x12 Tapestry, one seam only, worth \$18. Sale price \$10.75

Bigelow Mill Sample Rugs. Sale price 89c, \$1.19 and \$1.39 each

Bigelow Brussels Hall Runners, 27 inches by 12 ft. Sale price 3.45 each

Linoleum Hardwood Floor Effects 49c and 69c yard

THIRD FLOOR

Brass Beds Bright and Satin Finish

1732 "G. W." According to the Phunny Phellows 1910



OLD AGRICOLA'S PRECAUTION.
Reporter—Why have you boxed up your cherry tree in that fashion, Ag?

Agricola—The Sunday school teacher has just presented Johnnie with the "Life of Washington."



TAKING NO CHANCES.
Fond Mamma—Let's name the baby George Washington.
Sly Pop—All right. But I'll cut down that cherry tree myself, and there won't be any hatchet in the woodshed.



FIRST TO QUIT.
"Why did they call G. W. first in peace?"
"Probably because he buried the hatchet after he had hacked the cherry tree."

WHEN "G. W." WHIPPED THE BRITISH



ALL IN THE NAME.
Phyllis (up from the country)—But, Dick, this is just like the last piece you brought me to see here.
Dick—My dear Phyllis, don't be absurd. This is "The Naughty Girl of Nice," and the other was "The Grasse Widow." Surely you know that Nice and Grasse are two entirely different pieces.

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DEGENERATE DAYS.

In olden days the poets sang
Of roses. In this coarse age
They turn their thoughts to other
things
Like buckwheat cakes and sausage.

ATTRACTIVE.

Workman (to Socialist)—What's this
ere socialism you talk so much about?

Socialist—Well, it's like this 'ere.
Yer gets all the money in the country
and divides it all up—each of us 'avin' a share.

Workman—Well, what would you do
with your share?

Socialist—Why, spend it like a man.

Workman—What would you do then?

Socialist—Well, we'll divide it all up
again, of course.



SUCH GREAT INTELLIGENCE.
"Extraordinary!" cried a man who
was reading the newspaper. "Another
discovery has been made in Saturn.
Aren't they wonderful these astrono-
mers?" "Yes," assented his wife, "but
the strangest part is that they should
discover the names of the stars!"

Schoolma'am—Why did Washington cross the Delaware?

Scholar—Please, ma'am, he was
beatin' it to keep away from dogs that
was chasin' him 'cause he hacked the
tree.



QUESTION OF THE HOUR, FEB.
22, 1732.
Washington Pere (at the keyhole)—Is
it a boy or a girl?



WHAT PUZZLED THE FATHER OF
THE FATHER.
G. W.—Father, I cannot tell a lie.
G. W.'s Father—Well, boy, I don't
know how you ever expect to get
along.



ROUGH ON GEORGE.
Teacher (on Feb. 21)—Who won
great fame with a little hatchet?
Jimmy—Carrie Nation!

SHE KNEW THE DIFFERENCE.



"Dust the drawing room, Jane. I'm going to have a visitor."
"Shall I dust it for a lady or for a gentleman?"



AN ENGLISH VIEW OF IT.
English Writer—Son, do you know
anything about George Washington?
Son—He wuth han' American.

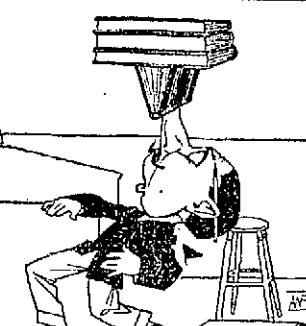
"Quite so. And for what wuth he re-
markable as an American?"

"He told the truth when he was
caught."

DIAGNOSED.

Doctor's Wife—I notice, dear, you al-
ways particularly inquire what your
patients eat. Does that help your
diagnosis?

The Doctor—Well, my dear, in a
way, yes. By the dinners they can
afford I know how much I can risk
sticking on the bill.



COULD SUIT HERSELF.
Herself—Tell me truly, Arthur, is it
your love or your reason that prompts
you to marry me?
Arthur—Just as you like, dearest.

Different Kind of
Art.

"Have you ever
written on an
empty stomach,
Mr. Poet?"
"Excuse me, sir,
I'm a poet, not a
tattoo artist!"

BOOKKEEPING TERM.

"Balancing his books."



FAST ON HIS FEET.

"Ah, yes," said the tragedian, "I
have had some long runs."

"Indeed!"

"Yes, but they never caught me."

START AND FINISH.



NO NONSENSE TO HIM.
"John," she said, "don't you think
this talk about trial marriages is just
horrid?"

"Oh, I dunno."

"Why, you don't believe in them
yourself, do you?"

"Have to. If there's any marriage
that ain't a trial you just show me."

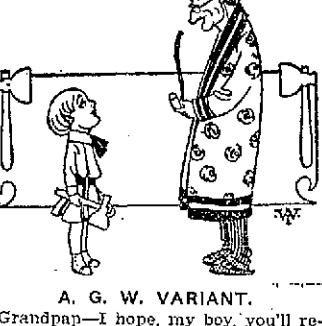
Presence of Mind.

Customer (falling down the stairs
in a large store)—Help! I've broken
my leg!

Floorwalker—
Cork legs, second
floor on the right.

WHAT GEORGE REALLY SAID.
Pa Washington—Why did you cut
the cherry tree, George?

Young George—Cause I'm dead
against this forest conservation busi-
ness!



A. G. W. VARIANT.
Grandpap—I hope, my boy, you'll re-
member that story your father told
you about Washington and imitate the
great man's example.

My Boy—Say, gramp, I did. But I
couldn't find any cherry tree, so I cut
down a couple of rows of apple trees.

NO SALE.

Salesman (gaily promoted to curio
department)—This necklace, madam,
was originally made for the Duke of
Buckingham, who gave it to Anne of
Austria. We're selling a lot of them.

BELLE AND CLAPPER.

"There's one of those awful bell
hats."

"The bell is all right, but the tongue
of the bell!"

JUST GOOD ENOUGH.

George—Do you think that I'm good
enough for you, darling?

Darling—No, George, but you're too
good for any other girl.



HOW IT STARTED.
G. W.—You know you gave me the
hatchet?

W. Senior—That's got nothing to do
with the case. What's worrying me is
that you are keeping company with
Parson Weeme's boy.



"Father, let me finish. I done it!"

"That will do, my son. Your future lies in the
military profession. You have already begun by
murdering the king's English."

TRACING THE PEDIGREE.
The Hammer—What makes old Ax
stuck on himself?

The Wrench—Oh, he's just found out
that he is the direct descendant of the
cherry tree hatchet.

"You done it?"

"Father, let me finish. I done it!"

RACE FEELING HIGH THE RUSSELL CASE

The Women of Cairo, Ill., Are Carrying Revolvers

Has Cost \$200,000 up to Date, It is Said

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 21.—Police officers are searching the city for a negro suspect of purse snatching, and another clash between the authorities and the citizens is feared if the man is caught.

The feeling is still running high against these negroes and it was added to yesterday when negroes, it is said, made insulting gestures at persons in the procession following the body of Alexander Halliday, killed Thursday night in an attack on the jail, to the

verdict that he was guilty.

Nearly six hundred persons attended the funeral and accompanied the body to Mountain, Ill., in a special train. As the train passed through the negro district out of Cairo, a negro collected on the streets to watch its passage. It was here, members of the funeral party charge, an insulting demonstration was made.

The negro police are after it is believed to have been associated with John Pratt, the negro who escaped lynching when Sheriff Nellis defended the jail. If he is caught an effort may be made to take him away from the

police before the military has an opportunity to interfere.

The military continued to patrol the streets last night.

The bitterness against the negro element is manifested in threats and rumors of future demonstrations. Women generally are carrying revolvers and are urged by their husbands and male relatives to shoot to kill if attacked.

The home of Sheriff Nellis is guarded by the militia, and he is given a military escort when he leaves the courthouse. Popular feeling is against him for using negro deputies and allowing Halliday's body to lie in front of the jail for three hours.

Adjutant General Dickson, Gov. Deacon's personal representative, declared last night that Nellis was not ordered by the governor to permit Halliday's body to lie on the ground until the militia arrived.

Mrs. Nellis, wife of the sheriff, landed yesterday under the strain, the estate had been practically settled.

Opposite stands William C. Russell, the older son and principal beneficiary under the will, surrounded by an army of the highest priced lawyers in the state, who set up the defense that the North Dakota son of really James Nellis of Malone, N. Y., and that he had been backed in his fight for the Russell will by a particularly clever group of gamblers in or about Cleveland, N. D.

The charges on both sides have been sensational and cannot be disregarded by either the prosecuting attorneys of

CAMBRIDGE, Feb. 21.—A hundred days' wrangle over the rightful claimant to the three-quarter of a million dollar estate of Daniel Russell of Melrose has not only marred the case as the Jarndyce and Jarndyce of Massachusetts jurisprudence, but has developed sufficient testimony to warrant criminal action, no matter which way the scales of justice fall. A tall, dark, well-tanned man from the Middlesex probate court elicited the claimant, whose name therefore will be Rousseau and not Russell, stands as a purveyor and one who has attempted to obtain money under false pretenses.

Two postoffice inspectors have been at every hearing since the case began. A representative of the district attorney of Middlesex county has also been in constant attendance. Yet the claimant seems as far off us when the opening words were spoken on Sept. 26th.

Seven lawyers, whose services ranged up to \$100 a day, have missed scarcely a session. They have been assisted by more than 50 detectives. Over 150 witnesses and these seven lawyers have spoken more than three million words. Handwriting experts at expert rates have given their opinions and 312 exhibits have been introduced. It is estimated that the case has cost to date \$200,000. The source of wealth to support the will is evident while the claimant says that he made a considerable sum in real estate transactions in North Dakota. His opponent and alleged brother says that he is taking a gambler's chance.

the state or of the nation. If the claimant's case is upheld the postoffice authorities will be warranted in arresting some of the other side for forging cancellation dates and rifling the mails.

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IN POLICE COURT

Big Grist of Offenders Dealt With This Morning

A young man, about 26 years of age, who gave the name of Lawrence Quirk and his residence as Boston, was arrested Saturday night in Frederick K. Baldwin's paint and oil store in Bridge street by Patrolman John J. Sullivan and sent to the police station where he was booked on a complaint charging him with the larceny of two pairs of trousers from the Putnam & Son company in Central street.

Quirk, accompanied by another man, whose identity is not known, called at Mr. Baldwin's store and asked for some whitewash brushes. The brushes were produced but the men did not seem to pay much attention to the articles and after casting glances about the store asked for a mixture of turpentine and varnish which necessitated a trip to the rear of the store. By this time Mr. Baldwin was suspicious of his alleged customers and instead of going to the back room, called one of his clerks to fill the order, he remaining in the front shop in order to keep an eye on the pair.

When the order was filled Quirk declined not to take it just then, stating that he had several other purchases to make and would return later. Before they departed they left a bundle behind them, saying they would call for it on their return.

As soon as the pair had left the store Mr. Baldwin opened the parcel and found two pairs of new trousers. Feeling that the clothing had been stolen, Mr. Baldwin notified Patrolman Sullivan and later in the night when Quirk returned for the bundle he was asked to explain where he got the goods. His explanation did not satisfy the officer, and the latter sent him to the police station.

Later John P. White, of the Putnam & Son Co. store, was notified and calling at the police station identified the goods as belonging to his firm. Mr. White remembered showing the goods to Quirk and then laying them loosely on a pile of clothing.

Quirk claimed that the trousers belonged to his friend who had disappeared.

Quirk was arraigned in police court this morning and after entering a plea of not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of two pairs of trousers, one of the value of \$5 and the other valued at \$3.50, asked that the case be continued till Thursday. The request was granted.

Flourished a Revolver

Henry S. Fuller of Maple street while under the influence of liquor Saturday night displayed a dangerous looking revolver. The sight of the weapon caused people in the vicinity to take to their heels for shelter, but Fuller did not hold the centre of the stage very long before Liquor Inspector William Grady and Patrolman Patrick F. Sullivan put in an appearance and placed him under arrest.

In police court this morning, Fuller was charged with unlawfully carrying a loaded pistol and pleaded guilty. He told the court that he was discouraged and was sorry for what he had done, but promised that he would conduct himself better in the future. He pleaded to be given a chance, but Judge Hadley decided to allow the matter to go over until Wednesday morning in order that the police may investigate his case.

Playing Cards on Sunday

Sgt. Thomas R. Atkinson accompanied by Inspectors Philip Dwyer, Frank Fox and William Grady, of the liquor squad, paid a visit to a house

WASHINGTON DAY

Observed at Immaculate Conception School

at Yuma and then were informed by the land office officials that secretary of the interior Ballinger had sent instructions to ignore the numbers given out to them by the local police, have prepared petitions and forwarded them to Secretary Ballinger and President Taft asking that their old numbers be allowed to stand.

Many of the land-seekers are still encamped in a vacant store near the land office and will remain there until they hear again from Washington or, in the event of not hearing from the petition, until the morning of March 1 when things may be made.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there was a full attendance this morning at the Immaculate Conception school, which shows that the manner in which the following program was carried out, how teachers and pupils entered into the spirit of commemorating in a truly patriotic way, the memory of Washington.

First Grade, Little Boys

Salute the Flag.

Second Grade, Girls

Recitation, "If I Were."

Master Edward Callahan

Reading, "How Long I've Tried."

John Pollard

Song, "The Red, White and Blue."

Class

Recitation, "Work for All."

Anita Garry

How?" Class Recitation.

A Little Girl's boast.

Helen Clinton

Song, "Down the Old Path."

Fourth Grade

Reading, "Boyhood of Washington."

Washington's Birthday, Class Recitation.

Dialogue, "Our Flag," Grace Burns, Annie Welch, Mary Lyons, Gertrude O'Connor, Annie Flannery

Song, "Mount Vernon Boys."

Reading, "Under the Old Elm," John Shafaynessy

Class Recitation, "Washington's Great

Reading, "The Character of Washington."

Song, "Our Washington," Entire School.

PAIR OF GOLD BIR. GLASSES lost Friday morning between Lowell and North Billerica or on car. Reward at Sun Office.

SMALL BLACK LEATHER BAG lost containing sum of money between Merrimack and Worthen sts. Reward by inquiring at Sun Office.

POCKET WATCH containing sum of money lost. Sunday morning between Standard's Bakery and Fourth ave. Finder will please return to 91 Woodward ave. Reward.

SUM OF MONEY FOUND. Owner can have by calling at Putnam's Dining Room.

POCKETBOOK FOUND containing small sum of money. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad at 241 Middlesex st.

PAIR OF BOYS GLASSES in case lost between Watson st. and Butler st. Return to 533 Lawrence st. and receive reward.

PAIR OF GOLD BIR. GLASSES lost between Watson st. and Butler st. Return to 533 Lawrence st. and receive reward.

BLACK AND TAN RABBIT FOUND lost with white stripe on back of neck. Colar marked 55 Claire st. Return to 44 Schaefer st. Reward.

\$10.00 LOST near the P. O. Friday morning. Communicate with W. Richards, Room 10, Marston Bldg.

BROWN LEATHER WALLET lost Feb. 17, between Appleton and Howard sts., via Middlesex st., containing money. Finder may return to 188 Howard st. Reward.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE LOTS for sale on Christian Hill, 20 feet, City water and gas. Price at 328 Bridge st.

A HOME FOR \$200, and many years to pay for it; a place to build a home and a garden.

EXTRA LOTS for sale, good location.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

No.	From	To	From	To
176	Att.	Lvs. Att.	Boston	Boston
177	6.15	6.15	6.15	6.15
178	7.15	7.15	7.15	7.15
179	8.15	8.01	8.04	8.55
180	9.00	8.59	10.50	9.25
181	10.00	10.36	10.50	11.00
182	11.00	11.34	11.50	12.00
183	12.00	12.26	12.10	12.50
184	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
185	2.00	1.85	2.00	2.00
186	3.00	3.55	3.05	3.55
187	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
188	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
189	6.00	6.25	6.00	6.25
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323	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
324	9.00	9.00	9.00	

LATEST THE GRAND JURY

Began Its Investigation of Rioting in Cairo Today

CAIRO, Feb. 21.—With a hundred more militiamen enroute to this city by special train and with the sheriff and the military will be given an airing.

The lynch last night for the supposed confederates of John Pratt, the negro game-shooter, whose robbery of two women initiated the present race trouble, proved unsuccessful.

Company B of Shelbyville, ordered out at midnight last night, will arrive this afternoon, increasing the militia to five companies.

MISSING TUG FOUND

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 21.—It is reported at Fort Monroe that the missing naval tug Nina has been found on the coast of Virginia where she was driven by the severe storm which it was thought sent her to the bottom of the Atlantic.

COTTON LEAK SCANDAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Moses Haas of New York, indicted in the district of Columbia in connection with the "cotton leak scandal" of the department of agriculture, must come to Washington for trial. Such was the decision today of the supreme court.

DERELICT SCHOONER SIGHTED

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 21.—The derelict Portland schooner, Julia B. Cole, which was abandoned during one of the January storms, was sighted on February 15 by the schooner Inga 200 miles north of Bermuda. The Cole had her decks just awash with several sail set and part of a signal flag flying from her mizzenmasthead.

The captain of the Inga gave her position as about lat. 36 and long. 66, and said that she was drifting northeast before a heavy gale.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Annual Report Shows What Was Done During Year

The annual report of the board of health is ready for the printer and the contract has been awarded. The board in its introductory remarks says: "There has been no padding of the pay roll here; politics has not entered into our calculations in the least. All the work that has been done has in our opinion been necessary work, and we believe that it could not have been so well done at a cheaper expense. We know that the board of health should produce better results than we have been able to accomplish in matters purely sanitary, but we have done the best we could with the means at our disposal, and during the past year in such important particulars as meat inspection, a pure milk supply, and the prevention of tuberculosis, we have taken steps which we believe will lead to vastly improved health conditions."

Last winter we received notices from the state board of health to the effect that many of the farms which supplied Lowell with milk were in an unsanitary condition." The report goes on to say that the board summoned the owners of milk living in Lowell and vicinity to a hearing Feb. 26. The members of the board explained to the milk dealers the wrong conditions that existed and how to remedy them. As a result, the board says, the barns are cleaner; they are also better ventilated; the milk rooms have been rendered more sanitary, and the rooms are cleaner.

With reference to contagious diseases the report says: "The one uncertain item of expense in this department is for the care of patients suffering with contagious diseases, though there is no uncertainty that the cost of the coming year will be greater than ever before. Now that tuberculosis has been placed on the contagious list,

Hood's Sarsaparilla

has made itself welcome in the homes of the people the world over, by its wonderful cures of all blood diseases and run-down conditions.

Get it today in usual liquid form or chelated tablets known as Sarsaparilla.

typical fever and 91 cases were reported. The cost \$11,431.05 to collect 22,753 loads of ashes and 463 loads of paper. Refuse burned at the incinerator included 1826 tons of market refuse, 25 dogs, 47 cats, 101 mattresses, 12 bundles bed clothing, 16 pillows, 14 horns, 7 plugs and 7 loads of moth from park department. The department collected 4737 loads of swill during the year.

GREAT BANQUET Tendered Retiring Supt. J. M. Perkins

Mr. John M. Perkins has resigned his position as superintendent of the Lowell Machine Shop and will close his labors there this week. Mr. Perkins will go to Detroit to manage a big concern. His successor has not yet been appointed, though Agent Morton stated today that several applications for the position had been received.

At the New American house Saturday night Mr. Perkins was tendered a banquet by men who have been under his supervision for years. The menu was a very unique one and was printed on an order blank that was introduced in the big shop by Mr. Perkins.

On the cover, under head of "description" were the words, "First Bed of the Perkins Institute for good, bad and broken castings—New American house, Lowell, Mass." On the inside of the cover appear the names of the officers and directors, as follows:

President, John M. Perkins; vice-president, Jim Cooney, Davy, Billie Horbury, Paul Timmer, Bill Jones; secretary-treasurer, Shorty Williston; ex-secretary, Tommie Farrell; Directors, Stubby Evans, George Cochane, Martin Conner, Harry Crossland, Walter Farrel, Fredieus, Furtie, gen. atten.; Billie Hard, property man; Otto Jensen, Alex Maguire, stage hand; Quiffie Marren, Sing-Sing; Con Murphy, Dan McPhee, John O'Brien, property man; Sam Perry, Edson Taft, Marbury.

The catalogues come under the head of "record of charges," and read as follows:

Blue Points
Purse of Tomato aux Cretons
Olives Radishes
Boiled Penobscot Salmon a la poe
Pomme de Terre, Hollandaise
Roast Young Chicken, Cranberry Sauce
Mashed Potatoes Green Peas
Banana Fritters Sherry Wine Sauce
Lobster Salad
Mayonnaise Dressing
Coffee Jelly Whipped Cream
Vanilla Ice Cream
Finger Rolls Assorted Cakes
Crackers and Cheese
Coffee

LARGE AUDIENCE

At Greek Play in Opera House

The new Greek military body known as "Frontagma" presented a play from the French entitled "The Two Lieutenant" at the Opera house last evening before an audience that packed the theatre, and included the Greek priest and all of the leading Greek residents. The play was given by amateurs and that they did well was evidenced by the repeated applause that rewarded their efforts. The local "frontagma" is a branch of a military organization recently started among the Greeks in all of the larger colonies in this country. All the members are pledged to go to the defense of the mother country should war ever be declared. The local companies are attired in natty khaki uniforms.

SUES FOR \$4630

GIRL CLAIMS MONEY FOR NURSING AUNT

TRENTON, Feb. 21.—Suit has been instituted in the supreme court by Miss Mary Hughes, of this city, to recover \$4,630 from the estate of her aunt, Julia Day, widow of Joshua Day. Miss Hughes claims the money for nursing the aunt in the latter's last illness, declaring that she got no compensation for this work beyond the promise that she was to be well remembered in Mrs. Day's will. She was bequeathed only \$100, while the bulk of Mrs. Day's fortune of \$50,000 went to churches and charities.

DUKE IS DEAD

PARIS, Feb. 21.—Charles William Frederick, Baron de Talleyrand-Périgord, fourth duke of Talleyrand and father of Prince De Sagan, who married the Countess De Castelnau, formerly Anne Gould, died today.

The duke was born in this city May 16, 1852. He received a stroke of paralysis as the result of his experience in the chytrid bazaar fire.

LARCENY OF \$28,000 CHARGED

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—When the cases of Bessie Roberts, alias Kit Dowell, and Mary Williams were called for trial today for robbing Warner Van Norden Jr., the banker of \$25,000, it was announced that Mr. Van Norden is in Carlbad, Bohemia, suffering from a nervous breakdown. The trial was adjourned for two weeks.

PRES. GARDNER DESIGNS

GARDNER, Mass., Feb. 21.—Robert Howell Gardner of Gardner and Boston has resigned as president of the national organization of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew (Episcopal) after he has held since 1904. Mr. Gardner gives as a reason for his resignation the many business interests which require more time than he is able to devote to them while serving as head of the brotherhood.

SUGAR CANE CUTTERS STRIKE

POINT-A-PITRE, Guadalupe, Feb. 21.—A thousand sugar cane cutters went on strike yesterday and set fire to five of the estates on which they had been employed. A force of troops is now on the scene to prevent further disorders.

A baby girl has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. O'Brien of 39 Beaver Street, Lawrence. Mrs. O'Brien was formerly Miss Mary McCarthy of North Billerica, and Mr. O'Brien is the well known electrician of Reinhart's mill, Lawrence.

C. Lester Moore has resigned his position with the P. R. Warren Co. and has accepted a position with one of the largest photo-engraving companies in Boston. Mr. Moore was formerly connected with the Merrimack Engraving Co. in Central street.

PROMINENT MEN ACTION IS ENTERED

Attended Funeral of Charles E. Adams Today

The funeral of the late Charles E. Adams, one of Lowell's leading merchants and one of New England's foremost business men, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his home, 305 Summer street, and the remains were taken to the Kirk street church.

At the conclusion of the scripture service, Rev. Mr. Gregg delivered an eloquent eulogy of the deceased and there was singing by the Kirk street church choir.

The bearers were Messrs. Frank H. Haines, president of the Wamesit bank; N. G. Lamson, treasurer of the Merrimack River Savings bank; Frank P. Dow and S. H. Thompson representing the Hardware Dealers; Harry B. Green, president of the Lowell Board of Trade; and H. C. Tuft of the Boston and Maine railroad.

The interment was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery and the funeral arrangements were in charge of A. G. Pollard. The Carrier company had charge of the interment. During the hour of the funeral all of the hardware and paint stores of the city closed their doors out of respect to the deceased.

THE COAL TRUST

Alleged Combination Case Came Before Court Today

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—Another trial of the so-called tobacco trust, and one of the big trust prosecution begun in the Roosevelt administration came before the bar of court today when an argument was heard in the United States circuit court in the suit against the alleged anthracite coal combination.

The case is being heard by Judge Gray, who has an intimate knowledge of conditions in the hard coal regions by reason of having served on the anthracite coal commission, and Judges Butler and Lanning.

The present one is Judge Lanning's first big case on a circuit court bench.

About 150 attorneys represent the more than 50 defendants in the case, but only a few of the lawyers will be heard. It has been agreed that the cases of the different companies will be combined as much as possible so as to confine the argument to two days. The government's case will be argued principally by J. C. McReynolds, who also conducted the government's prosecu-

tion of the so-called tobacco trust, and the principal pleader on behalf of the defendants will be John B. Johnson of this city.

The suit was brought in the spring of 1907 and the time since then has been occupied in taking testimony before an examiner. The defendants include the three Reading companies, the Lehigh Valley railroad and coal companies, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, Jersey Central railroad, Erie railroad, New York, Susquehanna & Western railroad, and numerous independent coal companies.

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AMERICAN SCOUTS

Fought in Battle Between the Insurgents and Madriz Forces

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, Feb. 21.—Americans took a very active part in the battle between the insurgents and the Madriz forces at St. Vicente, and one of them at least was badly wounded. They were under Captain Victor Gordon, with General Mena, the contingent being known as the American scouts. The wounded man is William Wilkins, who joined the provosts from Panama. A steel bullet struck the carriage, which was shattering the arm and leg.

Another scout, G. T. Bushby, was bruised when a stone from behind which he was firing, was shattered by a cannon ball. Bushby was thrown 20 feet, but he came back to the fight.

In a despatch which he has sent here, Captain Gordon states that the battle began on the 18th. They reached Chinandega on the 18th when after ten hours of desperate attacks and counter-attacks the enemy under General Vasquez retired to a secondary position from where yesterday morning they opened a desultory artillery fire, which ceased entirely at 10 o'clock.

According to Gordon, Vasquez was beaten although his 600 men outnumbered the provisional forces two to one.

Vasquez can receive no reinforcements, and when all Madi's men arrive and they are expected hourly, General Mena will assume the aggressive, and will attempt to drive Vasquez towards the lake.

Early on the morning of the 18th, the enemy's guns demolished Mena's left trenches, drawing out his force, including the Americans. Mena reformed and recaptured the place. The enemy then opened in front of a new hill, but Mena executed a flanking movement, causing the government troops to retire in great confusion. They abandoned many rifles and narrowly saved Maxim. Some of Vasquez's personal effects were taken, and the general himself got away only by a close margin.

The fierceness of the battle is indicated by the fact that two of Mena's guns were disabled. Another was twice dismounted, but each time re-planted, doing effective work. Mena's loss was 12 wounded. Gordon is of the opinion that the enemy's loss was heavy as their assaults were delivered across open spaces in the face of artillery.

When the enemy had withdrawn, Frank Reynolds, at the head of five Americans, hotly pursued them, coming within 50 yards of capturing a Maxim, when they were compelled to leave. At times the bullet shells and shrapnel came so thick that it was difficult to see because of the dust kicked up. One of the enemy's Maxim's was captured by assault, this field of labor.

THIEF ESCAPED LOSS IS \$100,000

After He Had Rifled Cash Register

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 21.—A stranger walked into Joseph F. O'Connor's drug store, Broadway and Shepard streets, at 9 o'clock last evening, held a revolver in front of the clerk, Benedict C. O'Connor, then rifled the cash register. He got about \$40. The only persons in the store at the time were the clerk and Mrs. Lucy Dickinson. The latter was telephoning and did not realize that a holdup was being perpetrated. The thief escaped. It is thought the robber is the same man who entered the office of the Park hotel in the down-town section Saturday evening and ordered the proprietor, Maurice Moriarty, to give him money, pointing a pistol at the hotel man's head at the same time. Moriarty fled to the barroom and gave the alarm. The stranger ran out before the police arrived and soon disappeared.

EGYPT'S PREMIER

Shot by Nationalist Yesterday

CAIRO, Feb. 21.—Boutros Pacha Ghali, the Egyptian premier and minister of foreign affairs, was shot and seriously wounded yesterday by a student, who was arrested after the shooting. The student fired five shots, three of the bullets lodging in the premier's body. Two of them, however, inflicted only superficial wounds. The bullets were extracted and it is practically certain that the premier will recover.

The crime was entirely of a political nature, the would-be assassin being a nationalist. He declared that his motive was a desire to avenge various acts of the government, which the nationalists attribute personally to Boutros Pacha.

LABOR COUNCIL

MAY HOLD CELEBRATION ON LABOR DAY

Thirty-two unions were represented at the regular meeting of the Trades and Labor council held at 32 Middle street, Sunday afternoon. President Reagan presided.

The council went on record as taking exceptions to the statement of Judge Waite in regard to trade unless being responsible for young men becoming criminals on account of the apprentice laws. The council believes that if it were not for the trade union regulations there would be more criminals.

The question of holding a big home celebration was discussed and it was the sense of the meeting that there should be a parade in the morning and that the afternoon should be devoted to an athletic meeting, together with a band concert. A committee of six was appointed to place the matter before the various unions.

Lowell, Monday, Feb. 21, 1910

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

THIS WEEK WILL FIND SEVERAL SACO STOCKS ON SALE. WATCH FOR THE UNUSUAL BARGAINS WHICH WILL BE OFFERED

Here Are Some Remarkable Values in

Horse Blankets

On Sale Today

The Factory Island Department Store did a tremendous business with the "suburbanite" folks who drove into Saco for their trading. We were greatly surprised at the stock of Horse Coverings which was carried, and these very low prices should interest every man who thinks of his horse.

Stable Blankets

Burlap, felt lining, 72 inches, at	90c
Burlap, felt lining, 76 inches, \$1.50 value, at	\$1.15
Burlap, felt lining, 76 inches, \$1.75 value, at	\$1.25
Burlap, felt lining, 80 inches, \$2 value, at	\$1.45
Extra Heavy Burlap, felt lining, 80 inches, \$2.25 value, at	\$1.55
Extra Heavy Burlap, felt lining, 76 inches, \$2.75 value, at	\$2.29
Extra Heavy Burlap, felt lining, 80 inches, \$3.00 value, at	\$2.45
Brown Duck, felt lining, 72 inches, \$1.75 value, at	\$1.25
Heavy Brown Duck, felt lining, 76 inches, \$2.50 value, at	\$1.69
Heavy Brown Duck, felt lining, 80 inches, \$2.75 value, at	\$1.85
Heavy Fawn Stable Blankets, 72 inches, \$2.50 value, at	\$2.00
Heavy Fawn Stable Blankets, 76 inches, \$2.75 value, at	\$2.29
Heavy Fawn Stable Blankets, 80 inches, \$3.00 value, at	\$2.45
Heavy Fawn Stable Blankets, 80 inches, \$3.25 value, at	\$2.65

Street Blankets

Heavy Blankets, 72x72, \$1.00 value, at	75c
Heavy Blankets, 72x72, \$1.25 value, at	\$1.00
Heavy Blankets, 84x90, \$2.00 value, at	\$1.69
Heavy Blankets, 84x90, \$2.25 value, at	\$1.85
Fancy Street Blankets, 80x84, \$4.50 value, at	\$3.75
Fancy Street Blankets, 84x90, \$4.00 value, at	\$3.19
Fancy Street Blankets, 76x80, \$4.50 value, at	\$3.45
Fancy Street Blankets, 90x96, \$5.50 value, at	\$4.25
Fancy Street Blankets, 84x90 and 90x96, \$7.00 value, at	\$5.50
Fancy Street Blankets, \$1x90, \$7.50 value, at	\$6.00
Heavy Fawn Blankets, 84x90, \$4.00 value, at	\$3.19
Heavy Fawn Blankets, 86x96, \$5.00 value, at	\$4.25
Heavy Fawn Blankets, 84x90, leathered and lined, \$5.00 value, at	\$4.25
Heavy Fawn Blankets, 86x96, leathered and lined, \$5.00 value, at	\$5.50
Storm Covers, \$4.00 value, at	\$3.00
Heavy Fawn Stable Blankets, 76 inches, \$3.00 value, at	\$2.45
Heavy Fawn Stable Blankets, 80 inches, \$3.25 value, at	\$2.65

All Lap Ropes at great reduction from regular prices.

The above items include an assortment of over 200 Blankets—not a big lot considering the values.

PALMER STREET, BASEMENT

LOSS IS \$100,000

Hotel Guests Routed From Their Beds

PITTSBURG, Feb. 21.—Two hundred guests at two downtown hotels—Newels and the Astor—were routed from their beds at 1 o'clock this morning by a fire sweeping through the six-story building of the Family theatre, which is situated between the two hotels. At two o'clock the fire was still confined to the theatre building which had been damaged to the extent of probably \$100,000. The theatre is owned by the Harry Davis amusement Co.

WILL NOT RESIGN

Conners Says He Will Hold Position

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—"I've got just one thing to say," declared William J. Conners, chairman of the democratic state committee here last night—I'll not resign and I shall still be a democrat whatever happens."

Mr. Conners sat in his suite in the Waldorf-Astoria, having just returned from Palm Beach and canvassed the situation with his supporters. He had hurried north to entrench his position before the special meeting of the state committee to be held in Albany on Thursday at which his opponents hope to oust him. He will remain here until Wednesday, when he will go to Albany, and in the interval he expects to see every one of the state committee men individually.

There were two phases of the situation that Mr. Conners would not discuss last night—the reason why his shoulder was with Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall, has suddenly burst into flame, and the attitude of William Randolph Hearst whose shadow also lies across the political map. One of his advisers was franker, though, he too, declined to let his name be used.

In substance this person said that Murphy moves now because he must either move or die of inanition; nothing else is moving in Tammany hall. Mayor Gaynor's administration goes on lopping branches off the plum tree and no fruit falls in the Tammany basket. Murphy has to be stirring or lose his leadership at home. If he wins against Conners, he may regain another lease of power to tide over the shallow years of the Gaynor administration; but if he loses, he loses not only at Albany, but in Fourteenth street. Mr. Hearst is saying even less than the far-baby: Nobody assumed to speak for him with authority, but persons close to him in his last campaign believe that although he has been twice defeated for mayor of New York and once for governor, he stands stronger with the people now than ever. The greater the disruption in the two established parties they say, the stronger will a third ticket be in the fall, should Mr. Hearst care to put one in the field.

CHURCH BURNED

Property Loss is Estimated at \$20,000

PAWTUCKET, Feb. 21.—The First Universalist church, High street, was badly damaged by fire last night. The loss is estimated at \$20,000 and the property is insured for \$20,000.

There was a service in the church last evening and the people were out of the church at 8:20. At 9 the fire was discovered in the pipe organ loft under the spire. The flames spread to the main church building and a second alarm was sounded, calling out every available fireman and piece of apparatus in the city.

The fire was driven back from the main building into the spire and soon the flames broke out at the very top of the spire, which was 125 feet tall. It was impossible to force the water high enough to reach the flames in the spire.

Burning fiercely, like a beacon light 125 feet in the air, the flames were visible for many miles.

As the flames devoured the peak of the spire pieces of timber fell to the roof of the main building and were scattered about, endangering houses and buildings in the vicinity.

Firemen and fire apparatus from Central Falls were called to aid the local firemen and were kept busy extinguishing fires on the roofs of surrounding buildings.

It was feared the spire would topple over into the street and crush the hundreds of curious who watched the fire. It was also feared it might fall upon the surrounding houses.

The crowds in the streets were repeatedly driven back to prevent accidents from falling timbers.

At midnight the firemen had the flames under control and confined to the space at the foot of the spire. The large pipe organ and all of the furnishings of the church were destroyed, but the main building was partially saved.

The church was a wooden building 90 feet long, 70 feet wide and two stories high, with a vestry. It was built 50 years ago at a cost of \$20,000 exclusive of the cost of the pipe organ and the furnishings.

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KING'S SPEECH

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King's Speech Brief

The king's speech proved to be unusually brief and made plain that the work of the session would be confined to the matter of finance and the question of the house of lords.

His majesty opened with the usual reference to the friendly relations existing with foreign powers and dealt at

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MORNING WAS QUIET

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—In spite of yesterday's severe rioting, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. started their early morning schedule today without apparent interruption by the strikers or their sympathizers. The first cars left the barns in different sections of the city at 5 a. m., 12 hours after the service had been discontinued.

Refreshed by their rest, the motor-men and conductors who had slept in the barns on cots provided by the company, manned the cars, protected by policemen on both front and rear platforms. Not a missile was thrown, however, on the early morning trips, and the cars were not as well filled with passengers. Persons willing to ride were deterred from doing so from fear of injuries.

The strike leaders, tired by yesterday's strenuous work, rested until late this morning and no further disturbances were set out at union headquarters. Beyond the statement that "All lines are in operation with the full quota of 100," the officials of the Rapid Transit Co. also declined to comment on the situation.

Conspicuous on the lapses of the working motor-men and conductors was the insignia of the Keystone union, the rival of the Amalgamated association of which the strikers are members. The former union was founded by men who remained loyal to the company during last year's struggle and is not affiliated with any other body. The present trouble began when the officials of the company treated with the members of the Keystone union against the wishes of the members of the Amalgamated association. The latter body made the request of the Rapid Transit officials that no other union be recognized.

Over a thousand men on the eligible list for policeman and firemen were sworn in yesterday and the city hall this morning was the scene of great activity among the police officials who were preparing to swear-in 3000 additional men at the first sign of further lawlessness.

The company admitted today that about four thousand men refused to take our cars yesterday. The strike leaders declared that more than six thousand are on strike.

It was estimated today that 100 persons were injured yesterday, chiefly by stones or other missiles. Few, however, were seriously hurt.

A little girl who was shot while watching boys attack a car, will probably recover.

The traction company concentrated its energies during the morning on line roads, and to the business sections. Service was maintained, nearly all the lines to the center of the city, but it was uncertain. Some of the cars were half filled, but the majority of them carried but few passengers. The fear of personal violence to riders was well grounded was shown from reports of different sections during the morning of the throwing of stones, resulting in the breaking of car windows and the slight injury of several persons.

Sensational reports that blood is running in the streets of the city and that the police are having pistol battles with mobs are not true.

It was a bad morning for the tens of thousands of persons who were compelled to walk to their places of employment. Rain fell heavily, but despite the gloomy, disagreeable weather, the people took up their tasks cheerfully. Every tanner who was willing to carry "passengers" found people eager to pay high rates of fare to carry them to work.

The railroads entering the city were taxed to their limit in handling crowds who sought the trains. The Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio railroads have greatly increased their schedules to suburban points and stations in the vicinity. The Reading Co. inaugurated a shuttle train to its suburban districts.

Under the proclamation issued by the mayor yesterday people are not permitted to congregate on the streets. The proclamation commands the people "to use the streets for travel only."

The house of commons met for business at 10 o'clock and the most important session of modern times opened under conditions without parallel in the history of the British parliament. Up to the last moment no one could predict with any confidence the course of events and even as Premier Asquith led the compassionate force into action it appeared uncertain whether the guns of his army were reversed against the common enemy or in the direction of the general himself. The expression "in the opinion of my advisers" is accepted as having been inserted in the speech by the king with the palpable object of disassociating his majesty from the views expressed on behalf of the government.

The chamber of the house of commons was crowded to its capacity.

JOHN REDMOND

ISSUES AN APPEAL FOR CAMPAIGN FUNDS

LONDON, Feb. 21.—A meeting of all the Irish nationalists in the new house of commons was held this afternoon to determine the party's attitude toward the governmental program. John Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, presided and the he is in a mood to fight unless Premier Asquith clears the way for high aspirations may be gathered from his appeal to the people of Ireland for party funds issued this morning.

"This appeal" said Mr. Redmond, "is vitally urgent by reason of the strong probability that another dissolution of parliament will be upon us immediately, perhaps before Easter."

Today's meeting authorized Mr. Redmond to voice the already expressed opinion of the party regarding the policy that should be pursued, but suspended decision on the final action to be taken until the speech of the king has been read and the position of the government has been more fully disclosed.

PREMIER ASQUITH

HAS FILLED VACANCIES IN BRITISH MINISTRY

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Premier Asquith has filled the vacancies in the ministry, which is an indication that he at least expects the government to pass safely through the crisis. The new ministers are: William Wedgwood Benn and Ernest Joseph Seales, junior lords of the treasury; Edwin Samuel Montague, under secretary for India, and Cecil William Norton, assistant postmaster general.

Mr. Norton succeeds Sir Henry Norman, who failed of election. This completes the ministry. In the case of the junior lords bye-elections will be necessary, but as both had good majorities last month, there is little danger of their losing their seats.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

LIVELY GAMES BOWLING LEAGUE

Played by the Basket-ball Teams

The Standing of the Teams

The interest in the race for first honors in the Catholic league is growing more interesting each succeeding week. Up to a couple of weeks ago the Alpines had a monopoly on first place, but this week finds them being rather hard pressed by the Y. M. C. I. Tonight the Alpines and Y. M. C. I. meet on the alleys and the game will be one of the best of the tournament goes without saying, for it means a great deal to the victors.

McCormack and Harry Farrell of the Alpines still continued to hold first and second positions respectively, in the individual average standing. The standing of the teams is as follows:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Alpines	37	8	82.2
Y. M. C. I.	38	12	75.0
Belvidere	20	19	57.7
C. M. A. C.	26	22	54.1
St. Louis	21	18	53.8
St. Peters	22	23	48.8
Sacred Hearts	19	20	39.5
C. Y. M. C.	11	28	35.5
C. M. U.	11	27.9	
K. of E.	9	33	21.4

Games for the week of Feb. 21 are as follows:

Tuesday—Alpine vs. Y. M. C. I.

Wednesday—Sacred Hearts vs. St. Peters.

Wednesday—St. Louis vs. Alpine.

Thursday—C. Y. M. C. vs. C. M. C. U.

Friday—K. of C. vs. C. M. A. C.

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

Bowler and Team	Strings	Ave.
McCormack, Alpine	.45	96.6
H. Farrell, Alpine	.39	98.19
Clark, Belvidere	.45	97.2
John Kelly, Y. M. C. I.	.45	96.1
McLaughlin, C. M. A. C.	.45	95.14
McCormack, Y. M. C. I.	.45	95.1
Concanan, K. of C.	.48	95.3
W. Kelley, Alpine	.42	91.89
Dwyer, Alpine	.15	94.12
Egan, Alpine	.46	94.18
A. Dwyer, St. Louis	.36	94.43
Coleman, Y. M. C. I.	.30	93.20
J. Martin, St. Peters	.34	93.16
McCarthy, St. Peters	.36	93.18
Wynne, Alpine	.36	92.88
G. Savage, K. of C.	.45	92.20
John Kelly, Belvidere	.26	92.29
Malton, C. M. A. C.	.21	92.4
A. Grendon, St. Louis	.21	91.71
Vice, Belvidere	.45	91.31
J. J. Jofol, St. Louis	.15	91.13
Boucher, C. M. A. C.	.45	91.26
John Kelly, Alpine	.27	91.12
Leveque, C. M. A. C.	.27	91.12
G. Grant, C. M. A. C.	.27	91.12
T. Doyle, Belvidere	.18	90.4
Pope, Belkire	.24	90.13
John, Sacred Hearts	.18	90.3
E. Dwyer, St. Peters	.20	90.26
Franklin, St. Louis	.20	90.15
A. Jofol, St. Louis	.20	90.10
W.H. King, Y. M. C. I.	.21	90.05

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

The end of the 13th week of the Manufacturers' League finds the Merrimack team still in first position with the Boot team a close second. Fullerton and the Merrimack is king pin of the individual averages. The standing of the teams follows:

Team	Strings	Ave.
Fullerton, Merrimack	.39	94.34
Abbott, Boot	.33	94.13
Wainsley, Merrimack	.51	92.18
John, Merrimack	.52	92.17
Underwood, Merrimack	.56	90.2
Gondich, Lawrence No. 2	.47	90.3
Boyle, Massachusetts	.18	89.7
Hunt, Lawrence	.42	89.7
Huntstead, Merrimack	.51	88.49
Peterson, C. A.	.51	88.19
Underwood, 4	.52	87.77
Chase, Lawrence	.52	87.17
MacLaren, Merrimack	.50	87.33
Shaw, Merrimack	.44	87.22
Appleton, Merrimack	.27	87.0
Lawrence No. 2	.28	87.0

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

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Merrinack	.51	70.83
Boyle, Merrimack	.49	65.05
Lawrence	.40	55.55
John, Merrimack	.38	52.77
Underwood, Merrimack	.39	50.83
MacLaren, Merrimack	.39	50.53
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6 O'CLOCK JUDGE HADLEY

Took Alleged Short Weight Case Under Advisement

Thomas I. Reed, curer of hams and bacon, whose place of business is at Burlington, Mass., appeared in the local police court this morning to answer to a complaint charging him with giving insufficient weight in the sale of bacon, the complaint having been made by Inspector A. S. K. Clark, of the department of weights and measures of the commonwealth.

This case grew out of the delivery of a trifle over one hundred pounds of bacon to J. D. Curley, the John street provision dealer, by an employee of the defendant, in which it is alleged Mr. Curley was charged for the paper that was wrapped around the bacon.

Arthur Russell, who appeared for Mr. Reed, waived the reading of the complaint and entered a plea of not guilty for his client. The government was represented by Daniel C. Palmer, commissioner of weights and measures of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

William A. Barry

William A. Barry, manager at the Curley store, was the first witness called. He testified that he had been employed by Mr. Curley for 14 or 15 years and was authorized to make purchases. On January 31st, when Thos. R. Maxwell, driver for Mr. Reed, called at the store, witness purchased hams and bacon. The bacon which was in wrapped packages was placed on the scales and weighed 107 1-2 pounds. Mr. Maxwell made out a bill for 107 pounds, had it G.I.D. and received payment from the cashier.

Continuing, witness said: "Inspector Clark came to me after the money had been paid to the driver and asked me if I purchased bacon with the wrapper on, and I answered in the affirmative. At the request of Mr. Clark the wrappers were taken off the pieces of bacon and the bacon and wrappers were weighed separately. I weighed the wrappers and found that they weighed 2 pounds and 14 ounces and Mr. Maxwell weighed the bacon, the weight of the latter coming to 105 pounds."

The Driver Testifies

The next witness called was Thomas R. Maxwell, driver for Mr. Reed. After answering the usual preliminary questions, witness said that he had been in the employ of Mr. Reed for about 12 years and that during the past three or four years had been driving a wagon and delivering goods in Lowell. He said that when he called at Curley's market Mr. Barry said he wanted about the same amount of hams and bacon as usual, which was about 100 pounds. Witness weighed the bacon with the wrappers on, as was his custom, and presented a bill for 107 pounds of bacon at 19 1-2 cents per pound, amounting to \$20.88.

After receiving the money from the cashier, Inspector Clark said to witness: "Have you made allowance for the wrapping paper?" Witness said "No." Mr. Clark then asked if witness thought it right to charge for the paper. Witness answered: "Mr. Reed buys it and why not sell it?"

Cross examined by Lawyer Russell, Mr. Maxwell said that bacon is always sold in wrappers and never had a complaint against charging for the paper until the present time.

Inspector Clark

Amasa S. K. Clark, inspector of weights and measures of the common-

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Holly Springs, Miss.—"Words are inadequate for me to express what your wonderful medicines have done for me. The doctor said I had a tumor, and I had an operation, but was soon as bad again as ever. I wrote to you for advice, and began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and told me to do, I am glad to say that now I look and feel so well that my friends keep asking me what has helped me so much, and I gladly recommend your Vegetable Compound!"—Mrs. WILLIE EDWARDS, Holly Springs, Miss.

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\$125,000 LOSS

Caused by a Fire in Hornell

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 21.—Fire swept through the business section of Hornell early today, causing a loss of more than \$125,000. The fire started in the Webster-Macy Co.'s department store and entirely destroyed it and the block it occupied. The flames spread to Seneca street and destroyed the Revell block, a tenement structure, driving out a dozen families. For a time a large part of Main street was threatened.

ACTOR CLEMENT DIED SUDDENLY

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 21.—Chay Clement, the actor, died suddenly at the University hospital here. Unconscious poisoning was the cause of death.

FINE TRACK MEET

STATE HIGHWAY

Continued



WILLIAM CONNELL
(Photo by Sackley.)



RALPH CANNEY
(Photo by Sackley.)

Local High School Defeated the Boston College Preps.

In the high school annex on Saturday evening before a gathering of admirers which taxed the capacity of the bleachers and the extra floor space, the high school track team scored a victory over the adherents of the "maroon and old gold" of the Boston college prep. track team, and incidentally added another beautiful trophy to its collection.

Although in past years the Boston college teams have made the local boys exert themselves to their utmost, the team which on Saturday evening opposed the locals was never considered

as far as scoring points were concerned, and the best that the visitors could do was to land a second place and win a third, which netted them 0 points.

A peculiar thing about the scoring of the points for the visitors was that Thomas O'Brien, who last year made a grand showing for the local school, was his opposing pos-

itioner in the 1000 yard event this year and managed to land second place with which went the majority of the Boston team's points. O'Brien, it was generally conceded, would land a first in this event, and he might have, had he retained his speed for the last lap, but he was sorely tried in the earlier part of the run, when with the crack of the pistol two local boys jumped to the wire and managed to lead for several laps. O'Brien misjudged his position, and instead of giving the local men time to the race for him, he opened up, and on the stretch took the lead from them. Lane, one of the headiest long-distance runners which the local school has ever turned out, was coming up in the distance and holding his energy for the last sprint. The exertion which O'Brien took onto himself in securing the lead proved to be too much for his staying powers and on the final lap he had to give way to Lane, who held to the front until the finish. O'Brien held to his position and managed to land a second, although yet in his first year at the college. O'Brien has taken an enviable place among the 1000 yard men of Boston, and is considered among the best runners of this distance in the prep. schools of the city. His exertions, however, to score a first against his old team mates, might have been his undoing on Saturday evening.

This event was the only one on the list in which the local team was given a scare. In the others it was nothing but Lowell and comment is not necessary. The final score was: Lowell 66, Boston college prep. 6.

The summary of events and the retrospective winners are given below:

300 yard dash—Won by Canney, Lowell; Connell, Lowell, second; Dow, Lowell, third; time 34-5 secs.; score, Lowell 6, Boston 0.

1000 yards run—Won by Lane, Lowell; O'Brien, Boston, second; Hanson, Lowell, third; time 2m. 42 2-5 secs.; score, Lowell 15, Boston 3.

Shot put—Cannell and Brown, both of Lowell, tied for first; Knight, Lowell, third; distance, 33 ft. 3 in.; score, Lowell 24, Boston 3.

35 yard hurdles—Won by Connell, Lowell, first; Dow, Lowell, second; Lowell, third; time 44-5 secs.

Challenge team race (300 yards) between Skylarks and Eagles won by the Eagles; time, 1m 51 4-5 secs.

600 yard run—Won by Thompson, Lowell; Emerson, Lowell, second; Walsh, Boston, third; time, 1m 31 4-5 secs.; score, Lowell 41, Boston 4.

300 yards dash—Won by Connell, Lowell; Leggett, Lowell, second; Dow, Lowell, third; time, 1m 35-5 secs.; score, Lowell 50, Boston 4.

Team race between Green and Varnum schools—Won by Green school; time 55 1-5 secs.

Team race between Highland and Lincoln schools—Won by Highland school; time 55 2-5 secs.

Team race between Moody and Bartlett schools—Won by Moody school; time, 55 secs.

Running high jump—Won by Bartlett, Lowell; Tegson, Lowell, and E. Lynch, Boston, tied for second; height, 5 feet, 5 inches; score, Lowell 57, Boston 6.

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WORCESTER MAN

Wants Woman to Pay Him \$5000

WORCESTER, Feb. 21.—An action

in which a man sues a woman, alleging breach of promise, was brought Saturday from the law office of Paul Bronner, Deputy Sheriff Albert F. Richardson served the papers.

John Boyajian, a wireworker at the north plant of the American Steel & Wire company, is plaintiff, and he seeks \$5000 damages from Patrician Niagara, a young woman who lives with her parents in Paxton.

In behalf of the plaintiff it is claimed that a license for the marriage was procured in Worcester Feb. 8, by the plaintiff's parents, and that the couple was to be married Feb. 12, but that another party, whom the plaintiff claims to know, wrote a letter to the prospective bride's parents derogatory to the intended bridegroom, with the result that the Paxton young woman wrote to John that she did not want to be married.

The letter, according to counsel, was dated Feb. 15. The declaration in the case will be filed in the superior court later.

STATE HIGHWAY

Continued

who stated that there are other roads in the town more in need of repairs at the present time than Bridge street and Thomas Varnum agreed with him. Mr. Bassett stated that the Mammoth road from Collinsville to the Lowell line is in miserable shape and that the next town meeting would be asked to appropriate \$2000 for the repair of a portion of it. He stated further that in the event of the county commissioners ordering the town to proceed with the work on Bridge St., they would receive a petition asking for the repairing of the Mammoth road. He also called attention to the roads in the vicinity of the Methuen line that are in need of repairs.

There are 1445 feet of road in Bridge street yet to be repaired and County Engineer Kemball estimated the expense at \$3140 without draining or extra hauling. This would give a macadamized surface 13 1-2 feet wide on each side of the car tracks. The latter would have to be raised at the Grange hall where they are low and the water collects.

The petitioners claimed that there is more heavy teaming on Bridge street than on any other street in the town and hence the necessity of the repairs. One of the Dracut citizens present asked that a hand vote be taken to show the sentiment of the meeting. Chairman Gould replied smugly that a hand vote would help the commissioners, but little, and that they were present to hear what was to be said pro and con. The mover of the hand vote plan stated that Dracut folks were not much at speaking, but liked to show their sentiments by a hand vote. "This is kind of a family concern," remarked another citizen, whereupon the chairman told the meeting to vote it as desired. Selectman Bassett stated that the hand vote method did no good and that if he had known such a vote was to be taken he could have packed the meeting with opponents of the petition. The hand vote showed 14 in favor and 4 against the petition.

Just before the hearing closed the discussion turned to a drain that had been closed near the Grange hall causing the water to overflow and Mr. Parker arose and said that the trouble was due to the drain built by the church people without authority from the town and that in his opinion the church people should look after the draining at that point. He also made a remark relative to the water bills against the church which caused Commissioner Richardson to inquire if he were talking about a Baptist church.

The State Highway

As the hearing closed Chairman Gould said: "As there are so many citizens of Dracut here at this time I would like to call your attention to the state highway bill now before the legislature and upon which date, I think, will be given at an early date. I think that every citizen of Dracut should be at that meeting and look after the interests of his town for the wording of that bill is most peculiar and may result seriously to your town finances if it becomes law in its present form."

A copy of the bill was produced and Chairman Gould read it. The bill provides that the county commissioners of Essex and Middlesex shall complete the highway between the Lowell and Methuen lines and section line contains a "joker" in the shape of instructions that the work on the road must be under the jurisdiction and to the satisfaction of the state highway commissioners.

After the county have completed the work to the satisfaction of the highway commission, the latter takes charge of it and completes the state highway to Lawrence. The expense of the work done by each county is to be divided in Middlesex by Lowell and Dracut and in Essex by Lawrence and Methuen; that is, 25 per cent of the cost of the work in Middlesex county will be borne by Lowell, 25 per cent by Dracut, and 50 per cent by the county of Middlesex, and in similar proportion in Essex county.

There will be no meet on next Saturday evening as the local team will participate in the athletic events which are held annually in Mechanics building in Boston. These events are the only ones held in which the teams that take part in them do not know who their opponents will be until they are notified of the selection which the officials of the meet has made for them. The Lowell high boys have always been pitted against one of the officials of the meet has made for them. The Lowell high boys have always been pitted against one of the strongest relay teams in the meet, and this year has proved to be no exception to the rule, as Lowell has been matched with the Providence Tech.

The boys were trained to the fettle, for the meet with the Boston team, on Saturday evening, but, as the meet proved to be an easy win for the locals during the early events, the boys did not urge the best from their mates, so that no harm resulted.

While the attendance on Saturday evening was the largest of the season, it did not come up to the expectations of the athletic committee of the school. Something the pupils of the school do not give the teams of the different athletic branches the support that they ought to receive. Several of those who were present Saturday evening were local Boston college enthusiasts.

On Saturday evening, March 5th, the locals will have as opponents the strong Mechanics Arts' track team of the club. This is a meet which should be one of the best of the season. The Boston lads have already taken a prominent position among the schools of Boston, and should give a fine exhibition. With the intervening rest of two weeks from events, Captain Connell, is positive of gaining a victory for the Arts boys, and he assures us that he does not entertain any idea of defeat.

The Textile vs. high school, is the all important meet locally, and the date on which it will be pulled off, is awaited by the clientele of the two schools.

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GOVERNORSHIP AND SENATE SEAT INVOLVED IN MISSOURI DISPUTE



GOVERNOR HERBERT HADLEY

SENATOR WM. J. STONE

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilote, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1910. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

WHO'S RESPONSIBLE FOR THE THIRTY-TWO LIVES?

The navy department seems to have shown poor judgment in sending out a frail tug like the *Nina* in the teeth of a storm without any proper protection and without even being equipped with the wireless. Somebody's mismanagement is responsible for the loss of thirty-two lives and the tiny craft. The matter should be investigated.

UNDER A CONSTITUTIONAL CLOAK.

In the district of Columbia, Judge Wright of the supreme court has summoned three United States senators to tell why they did not award a paper contract to the lowest bidder which was a Holyoke concern. The senators stand upon their constitutional privilege that Judge Wright has no power to compel their presence in such a case, and thus the United States senate has to cover three of its members under a constitutional cloak.

THE SOUTHBRIDGE BANK INVESTIGATION.

Already a committee of the legislature has begun the investigation of the Southbridge bank embezzlement. The committee should determine first, how Treasurer Hall remained during sixteen years to loot the bank; second, whether in all that time the directors did anything to prevent or detect such looting; third, whether the bank examiners took any steps likely to enable them to ascertain whether any of the bank officials were dishonest or whether the board of directors was performing its duties.

It is to be hoped that the investigation will go to the bottom of the affair so that not only Treasurer Hall may be punished but also those who by their negligence allowed his peculations to go so long undetected.

COMMISSIONER O'MEARA'S STATEMENT.

Police Commissioner O'Meara of Boston has come out emphatically against the imputation made by the Watch and Ward society to the effect that white slavery exists to a surprising extent in Boston. The police commissioner makes a strong statement and one that certainly discredits anything in the line of statistics that has been put out on this question. We are inclined to believe him when he asserts that statistics of this character must from the very nature of the subject be wholly worthless. We believe also that Boston is not a bad city as compared with New York, Philadelphia, Chicago or many other cities of first magnitude. It would indeed be a disgrace to the city of Boston if the contention of the Watch and Ward society were true as the number set forth in the report of that society is calculated to shock the people who know nothing of the subject and who have believed that Boston had been cleaned up morally as well as otherwise.

THE SULPHUROUS ORATORY OF SENATOR DAVIS.

That was a hot speech made by Senator Davis of Arkansas in denunciation of Rockefeller and the Standard Oil company. "I thank God," he said, "that I have never made an exhibition in favor of the Standard Oil."

That sounds like the language of the Publican in the scriptures who thanked God that he was not like other men. But is Davis any better than his calmer colleagues of the senate? Yet he went further and said: "Before God, Mr. President, I'd rather have my right hand cut off than my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth and the mother who bore me disown me than appear here as an advocate of such a concern as the Standard Oil company," and wound up with the assertion that hell is the only place he would like to see Mr. Rockefeller enter with his oil pipes.

Now, all this serves rather to show that Davis is a man of fiery temper and weak judgment than that the Standard Oil company is a law-breaker or that John D. Rockefeller is a wicked man. The Standard Oil is a monopoly that should be restrained by law, but it will not be affected in the least if Senator Davis should keep up his frothy and sulphurous denunciations for the rest of his natural life.

HIGH SCHOOL EXTENSION.

The local high school and annex are both crowded to the doors so that increased space must be provided in the very near future.

No doubt many residents of the Highlands and other outlying districts would favor the building of a new high school at some distance from the present, but this would entail great expense as it would require the duplication of teachers. For the present and for many years to come it may be set down as an axiom, that Lowell cannot afford a second high school.

In Saturday's Sun appeared an important article in which the views of a public school official were given as to the best method of increasing the accommodation in the high school. He would recommend the extension of the annex to Kirk street and the addition of two cells to the high school, one on Kirk street and the other on Anne street. He would also favor the construction of a subway from the high school to the annex for the protection of the pupils who have to pass between the buildings in stormy weather.

In connection with these improvements the same official suggested that the high school should have its own heating and lighting plants and also that if the public hall were built on the lot bounded by Paige, French, John and Brookings streets it might be heated from the high school plant.

The site suggested for the public hall is one of the best that could be selected. Indeed, it has no superior in point of centrality and meeting the demands of public convenience except the White lot between Brookings and Bridge streets. Both these lots afford access on all sides and a car line on two sides, while one is but a few rods from Merrimack square and the other less than a minute's walk. Here, then, are two building problems to be considered by the city council, and it seems that both might be connected as suggested.

The public hall, however, should be built during the coming summer, while it is not likely that the high school matter will be reached this year, although the crowding is already quite uncomfortable.

SEEN AND HEARD

It hasn't been observed that the barefoot dancer saves on shoes and stockings she devotes to increasing the rest of her costume.

The easier a man falls in love, the easier he falls out again.

You can get a good meal at a low-priced restaurant for what you pay at a fashionable restaurant for having the waiter help you on with your overcoat.

When the successful man tells about his early life, young men in the neighborhood are expected to listen with awe to the recital of his exploits, even though they know well enough that he is lying.

The people who believe that the truth should be spoken at all times should never go fishing for a compliment.

Poor people seldom have nervous prostration. They can't afford it.

When a young man goes actively into politics, he tries to look as if he were a great benefactor to the human race, but everybody knows that his real object is to increase his income.

Cross-examination frequently makes a cross witness.

Another good thing about February is that fewer people are married than in any other month, so that you don't have to use up all your money buying wedding presents.

The woman who admires her own beauty can be endured, but it is hard to get along with the man who thinks that he is handsome.

Supposing you should read an advertisement in the paper that a clairvoyant would answer any question if the inquirer should send a lock of his hair, and you believed in the ability of clairvoyants, and you wanted awfully to know something, and you were as bald as Mr. Rockefeller!

One reason why people who are going to show so little sense, is that people with sense generally avoid getting into an argument.

It is very seldom necessary to caution a boy in school that he is working too hard.

If women wearing long, tight sleeves are as uncomfortable as they look, men have reason to be sorry for them.

Did you ever look over the bridge scattered around the parlor and wish you had the money that it cost?

A fool and his money in time are very likely to get to Wall street.

Another way to make money go far is to buy a two-cent stamp and address a letter to the Philippines.

SAVING

Save a little every day. And in time you'll have a lot. Every saved-up dollar helps. Put on top of what you've got. Live within your weekly wage. Every day put some aside. Always this has meant success. Every time it has been tried.

Save a little every day. Save a little when you can. If you get the habit fixed. You may be a wealthy man. Never spend quite all your ear. Never, never, run in debt. Make the compound interest help. You may be an Astor yet!

Somerville Journal.

The man who always thinks twice before he speaks is pretty sure to get

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CATHOLICS WARNED

Archbishop Sees Danger in War Against Ideals

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—A gathering of probably 1500 men and women attended a mass meeting of the Suffolk county branch of the American Federation of Catholic Societies held yesterday afternoon in St. Alphonsus Hall, Roxbury.

The principal speakers were Arch-

A BAD LIVER.

A celebrated English authority once said, "The liver is the direct cause of nine-tenths of the ills that flesh is heir to." It is the largest gland in the body. The blood must pass through the liver many times in an hour. When your liver is out of order you will have pains or uneasiness in the right side, or a dull aching under the shoulder blade. The complexion becomes sallow, your appetite is impaired, your bowels inactive; while headaches, dizziness and bad feelings are your daily experience.

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mean that you could divorce as much as you wish.

That the sacrament of marriage should be abolished, I am told, is taught in some of the colleges, a teaching which must be followed by despair, suicide and the like, and we are to sit quietly by while such infamous doctrines are handed out to even little children around and about us.

"There is a danger. There are thousands upon thousands who believe in nothing. These we are not responsible for. They have specious ideals and are spreading moral and intellectual degradation.

"We gather our forces under the shield of the church, and denounce these ideals as we would the devil with his pomp. It is no longer carried on in the schools, but it is down upon us in the theatres, in the plays, in the books, Beware of it. As Catholics you are bound to have your knowledge strengthened by facts, hence as Catholics you are expected to be on your guard."

His address was based almost entirely on the life and works of Ludwig Windhorst, whom he styled the German Catholic liberator. He pledged to the archbishop that the German Catholics of the country would remain united in the work of the Federation of Catholic Societies.

The gathering was called to order by the Rev. Father Hayes, who extended the greetings of the parish to the archbishop and to those who are engaged in the work of the organization. He presented the president of the Suffolk county branch, Jeremiah E. Burke, as presiding officer.

Applaud Archbishop

Archbishop O'Connell, upon being introduced was received with thunderous applause and the waving of handkerchiefs, and when the demonstration subsided said in part:

"If the city of Boston will ever become a truly Christian city it must be by our example, and this will be done by federation.

"There are thousands who go to church every Sunday, who never think they have a great public duty to make their life shine, to create by high ideals a standard of living which no calumny can impair.

"Federation of Catholics is intended to stimulate our vigor and our energy to forward what the church intended. We have no schemes to spring upon an unsuspecting public, our work is open, our plans are plain, our work is glad to have all understand them.

"What is our plan? Have we reason for alarm that we should get together just now?

An Imminent Danger

"There is an imminent danger. Many who claim to be intellectual leaders are seeking the destruction of organized religion. One man points out that Christian Science is injuring the cause of religion. So it is; but that doesn't affect us.

"There is a war, not to be fought with dynamite, but against ideals, against Christian principles. These intellectual leaders tell us that Christianity is a failure. They don't tell us this in France, but right here in Boston.

"But what have you to give us in return? To this there is no definite answer. They give us specious words—new thought as old as paganism.

"They deal in impersonalities, and are to get out of it the glory of saying that they are able to put the importance of cleaning up the deposits at the beginning is that it will leave the way clear for the investigation into the general matter of savings banks' methods which is what

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The first aim of the committee is to hear as many of the depositors as may appear as quickly as possible. The procedure has not been fully decided on, but the feeling is that one of the most important tasks will be to reassure depositors who may have a doubt first as to the safety of their deposits, and again those who may have been affected by rumors that the idea was to whitewash what had happened and that a full hearing would not be held.

Unless the committee is able to secure this confidence from the depositors there is danger that the actual investigation will be blocked or delayed unnecessarily. It is not for a minute anticipated that the depositors as a whole will be able to give special information, for substantially all their knowledge of the bank and its doings is comprised in their pass books. It is more than likely that the chairman of the committee will find that they will be called on to answer even more questions than they are able to put.

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the committee, as has been explained, is aiming at.

IN A COFFIN

BRIDEGRoOM WAS CARRIED THROUGH CITY'S STREETS

STREATOR, Ill., Feb. 21.—Carried through the streets in a coffin at 10 o'clock at night was the gruesome experience of A. A. Solon, a young undertaker of this city, who recently was married. He was a member of the Streator Bachelor club and his marriage was made the occasion for a "memorial" at which a mock trial took place.

The undertaker was tried, found guilty by a jury of unmarried men and put under the "death" penalty. The prisoner was submitted to a severe electric shock, after which he was placed in the coffin, which bore the inscription, "Not dead, but married."

His address was based almost entirely on the life and works of Ludwig Windhorst, whom he styled the German Catholic liberator. He pledged to the archbishop that the German Catholics of the country would remain united in the work of the Federation of Catholic Societies.

A BANK PROBE

To Show Need of a New Law

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THE BREAKFAST QUESTION



DEATH CALLS HALT

Of Legal Fight Between Brothers Over Millions

suspected that a fatal illness was impending," said the person who was interviewed by a reporter.

Mr. Warren spent Saturday afternoon walking about his spacious estate in Dedham. Several hours after he had retired for the night members of his household were aroused by his groans. It was at once perceived that Mr. Warren was gravely ill and an urgent call was sent to the residence of Dr. Andrew D. Hodgeson. The doctor hastened to the Warren residence in his automobile, but found Mr. Warren was

dead.

SIMON B. HARRIS

Paid a Sunday Visit to Hotels

SALEM, Feb. 21—City Marshal Simon B. Harris, accompanied by Patrolman Miller, paid a visit yesterday to the licensed hotels of the city. The marshal himself declined to speak of affairs as he found them.

In compliance with orders issued by the city marshal there was a general closing up of grocery stores in the city yesterday. It is said in the stores where Sunday newspapers are sold the proprietors confined themselves strictly to that branch of trade.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1910

	AT CHICAGO	AT ST. LOUIS	AT DETROIT	AT CLEVELAND	AT WASHINGTON	AT PHILADELPHIA	AT NEW YORK	AT BOSTON	ABROAD
CHICAGO	READ	April 24, 22, 23, 24 Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 Sept. 29, 30	May 5, 6, 7 May 28 June 28, 29, 30 July 28 Sept. 2, 3, 4	April 25, 26, 27, 28 May 20, (30), (30), 31 June 21, 22, 23 July 6	May 10, 11, 12, 13 July 22, 23, 25, 26 Aug. 22, 23, 24	May 14, 16, 17, 18 July 18, 19, 20, 21 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May 24, 25, 26, 27 July 8, 9, 11, 12 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 10, 20, 21, 22 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 20, 21, 22	Decoration Day at Cleveland.
ST. LOUIS	April 14, 15, 16, 17 July 1, 2, 3, (4), (4) Sept. 12, 13	THE	April 18, 19, 20 May 8 June 21, 22, 23, 25 July 6 Sept. (5), (5)	May 5, 6, 7 May 25 June 28, 29, 30 July 28, 29 Sept. 2, 3	May 10, 20, 21, 22 July 8, 9, 11, 12 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 14, 16, 17, 18 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May 10, 11, 12, 13 July 22, 23, 25, 26 Aug. 22, 23, 24	July 4th at Chicago Labor Day at Detroit	
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A SUICIDE NOTE

BIG DREADNOUGHT AND CRUISER TO TAKE DEAD MAN TO HIS HOME

Balked Act of Man Who Wanted to Die

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The contemplated suicide of Louis Wittmann, 51 years old, a landscape gardener of Rye, N. Y., as announced by himself in a letter to his wife Friday night, did not take place as scheduled. The Hoboken police appeared on the scene of the intended act Saturday morning in time to prevent it.

Mr. Wittmann, according to information developed when his wife went to Hoboken to take him home, had been sent to that city on Monday by his employer to buy a parrot that had been advertised for sale. Arrived there, he took up quarters in the Hoboken Deutsches, No. 325 Washington street, and then, before proceeding to serious negotiations, decided to pay a

visit to some of the places of interest in the city.

When he returned to the hotel next morning filled with souvenirs, inventory of his effects showed that if he would accomplish his mission he must raise more funds, which he did by pawning his watch. A second balancing of accounts two days later necessitated a further replenishing of his exchequer by the hypothecating of his watch chain for \$16.

On Friday night, after a third accounting, Wittmann wrote to his wife telling what he had done and declaring that as he was ashamed to go home he would kill himself then and there. When Mrs. Wittmann received the letter Saturday morning she at once turned it over to the Rye police, and they telephoned to Hoboken.

Chief of Detectives Julius Nelson hurried to the hotel and burst open the door of Wittmann's room. The room was filled with gas from an open jet and Wittmann, unconscious, was curled up in an arm chair beside the window.

Wittmann was brought back to consciousness by Police Surgeon Arltz. He was then arraigned before Recorder McGovern, who directed that he be held until his wife arrived and then turned over to her, which was done.

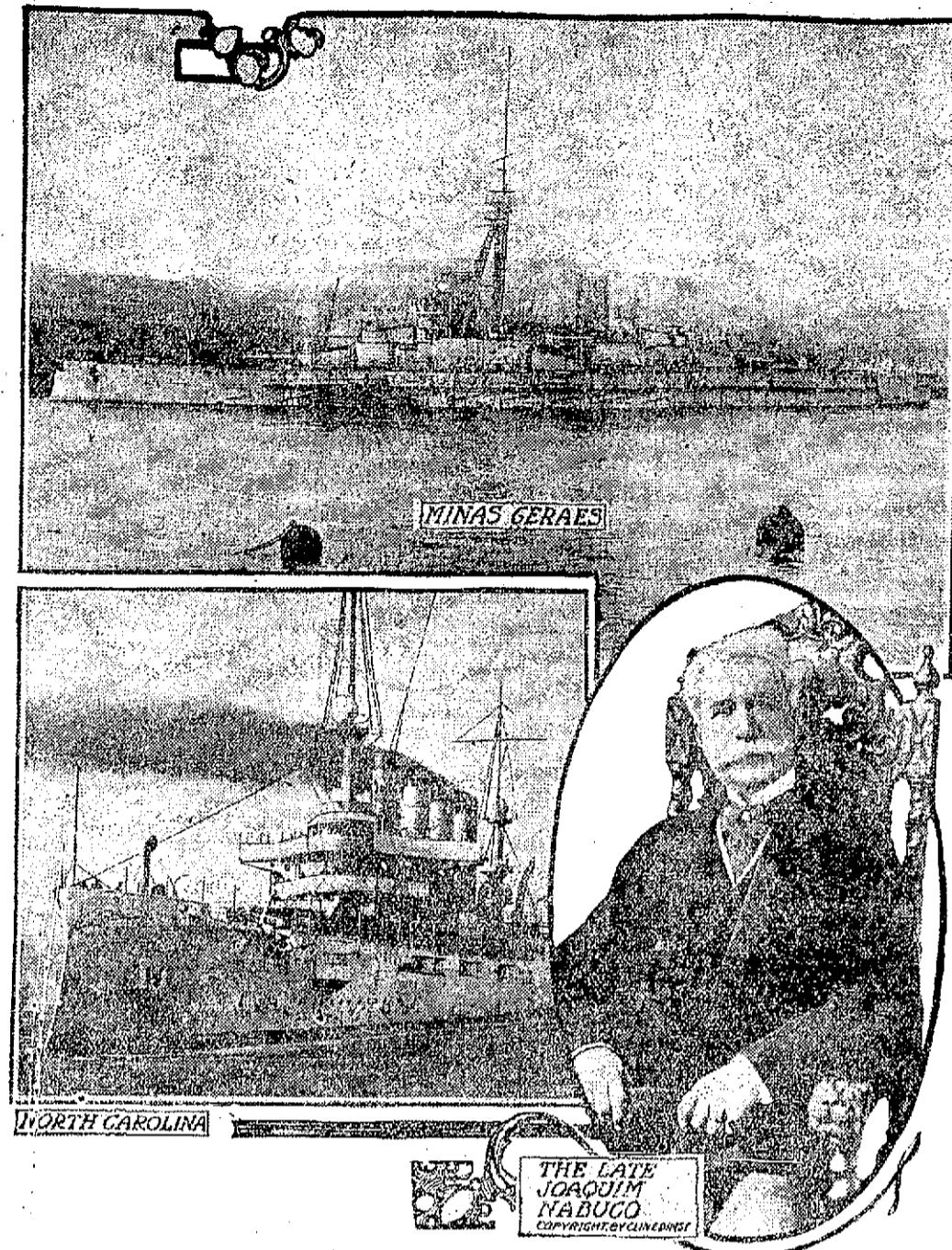
A richly dressed woman accompanying Mrs. Wittmann who refused to give her name, but whom the latter addressed as Mrs. Molley or Mollick, said she could not account for Wittmann's suicidal mania.

"He is manager of my estate," she said, "engaged every man on it, and both my husband and myself have always regarded him as a man of ability and good common sense."

Wittmann did not get the parrot, but took home a canary instead.

TRAFFIC BLOCKED BY ACCIDENT TO A CAR ON APPLETON STREET

Electric car traffic in Appleton street was blocked for some little time Saturday night as a result of one of the double truck electric cars on the Chelmsford line leaving the track near the corner of Favor street. The car when brought to a standstill was in a position which made it impossible to operate cars on either the inward or outward rails. The wrecking crew was summoned into service and its members soon had the electric clear of one rail so that traffic on the lines was made after a fashion. It was after midnight before the tracks were cleared.



WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Conveying to Brazil the remains of the late Joaquim Nabuco, ambassador to the United States, who died suddenly in Washington a few weeks ago, will be the ships of the American, British and other navies. She is on her maiden American armored cruiser North Carolina, built for the Brazilian government, to one of the world's biggest dreadnaughts, the great new Brazilian battleship Minas Geraes. The Minas Geraes, which left England for Hampton Roads several days ago, will convoy the North Carolina from Hampton Roads to Rio de Janeiro. E. L. Chermont, second secretary of the Brazilian embassy in Washington, will accompany the body to Brazil. The Minas Geraes is one of the latest and greatest of the world's dreadnaughts. At the time of her launching, Sept. 19, 1908, she was considered the world's most powerful vessel, but since that

time she has been surpassed by some ships of the American, British and other navies. She is on her maiden voyage, in which the body will rest, and built for the Brazilian government, to her home country. Her displacement is 19,250 tons. Minas Geraes is the name of one of the states of Brazil. That country has adopted the American system of naming its biggest ships for its states.

John S. Backman, Pres. John J. Burns, Sec. Matthew Scott, Treas.

Gilbride's
MERRIMACK &
PALMER STREET

JOHN S. BACKMAN, Pres.

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MATTHEW SCOTT, Treas.

The Second Lockhart "Mill End" Sale



It was a sight Saturday, the principal streets were full of marching hosts and all the trolley cars were crowded. Why? The second Lockhart "Mill End" Sale opened Saturday, and all day and through the evening there was an overflow crowd in our store as great as the big Christmas throngs.

After a day's rest for our salespeople we started in this morning with renewed vigor. New lots of "Mill Ends" will be put on sale the coming week. No unworthy merchandise is offered in this sale. We covet the best of everything.

What Is a Bargain?

Come to this sale and you will find this question answered in every department in the store to your complete satisfaction.

Don't Lose Your Share of These Bargains

THE GILBRIDE CO. On the Corner

SEN. TILLMAN

is Showing Signs of Improving

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—This picture of Senator Benjamin R. Tillman of South Carolina was made from the last photograph taken of the stricken man. The snapshot was made on Wash-



ton street three hours before he was taken ill on the steps of the capitol. The photograph is one of the very few pictures taken of Mr. Tillman showing his full face. Owing to the loss of his left eye in early life, somewhat disfiguring his otherwise strong features, he was reluctant to let the left side of his face appear in photographs, and his pictures generally show only the right side.



Who Fills Your Prescriptions?

Your answer to this question will immediately be "the druggist in whom I have confidence." But did it ever occur to you that in the ordinary drug store your prescription cannot always be taken care of by the druggist in whom you place so much trust? It's simply impossible for him to remain at his post of duty indefinitely. The clerk in charge, in most cases, looks after the soda fountain and does the general house-work of the store as well as the dispensing. You cannot expect special skill in filling prescriptions from him.

We employ only registered pharmacists of proved ability who do nothing but fill prescriptions, and in this they are expert. Their hours are short so that they have time for recreation. Our reputation for dispensing fresh and best quality drugs is known to thousands, and our prices are the very lowest.

Test This Service!

HALL & LYON CO.

Of New England
Apothecaries

67-69 MERRIMACK STREET

The Bon Marché

Monday Evening Sale

FROM 6 TO 9:30 O'CLOCK ONLY

CHAMOIS GLOVES (Street Floor) 59c

6 inch Biarritz gloves in white and natural, all sizes. Regularly \$1.00 Monday Evening Price 59c

LINEN CENTER PIECES (Street Floor) 19c

All linen, stamped with attractive floral designs for embroidery. Regularly 39c Monday Evening Price 19c

MEN'S NEGLIGE SHIRTS (Street Floor) 29c

Some are slightly soiled but all are of 50c quality, and there's a good variety of patterns, sizes 14 to 16 1-2. Regularly 50c Monday Evening Price 29c

REMNANTS OF DRESS TRIMMINGS (Street Floor) 1c Yard

Some of these have been selling at 25c and 39c. It's a lot of odd pieces that we feel sure of selling at this week's sales. Regular 25c and 15c Monday Evening Price 1c

BELT PINS (Street Floor) 10c

And belt buckles, some are of rose gold, some silver gray and some are enameled. These all sold at a quarter. Monday Evening Price 10c

SILK PETTICOATS (Second Floor) \$3.29

45 taffeta silk petticoats in stripes, plaids and plain colors, brown, light blue, red, green, gray. These have been selling at \$5, \$6 and \$7. No blacks Monday Evening Sale \$3.29

LADIES' HOSE (Street Floor) 19c

Fine Maco yarn, split sole, spliced heel, very elastic top, Hermendorf black, all sizes. Regularly 25c Monday Evening Sale 19c

MANTLE SCARFS (Second Floor) 39c

Silkaline mantel scarfs, two and two and a half yards long with fancy fringe all round. Variety of patterns. Regularly 60c Monday Evening Price 39c

HAIR NETS (Street Floor) 5c

Large all-over hair nets, all shades. Regularly 10c Monday Evening Price 5c

BOYS' UNDERWEAR (Street Floor) 19c

Fleeced Jersey shirts and drawers in natural gray, sizes 24 to 34. Regularly 26c Monday Evening Price 19c

DRESS FASTENERS (Street Floor) 1c

The well known Not-a-Hook snap fasteners in white and black, regular full size cards. Regularly 5c Monday Evening Sale 1c

LADIES' UMBRELLAS (Street Floor) \$1.00

Two plain red silk, 1 brown silk and 14 all black, natural boxwood and fancy handles. Regularly \$1.75 to \$2.75 Monday Evening Price, \$1.00

SILK REMNANTS (Street Floor) 17c

Of plain and fancy Japonica silk, 1 to 4 yards, in a large variety of colors. Regularly 39c to 40c Monday Evening Price 17c

SHIRT WAISTS (Street Floor) 59c

Tailored waists in white and with fine colored stripes, an excellent value, all sizes. Regularly 98c Monday Evening Price 59c

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS (Second Floor) 25c

Blue chambray only, trimmed with red piping, sizes 2 to 5 years. Regularly 20c Monday Evening Price 25c

FURNITURE POLISH (Street Floor) 3c

20 bottles Many Use Oil, for all hard polished surfaces. Regularly 10c Monday Evening Price 3c

25 bottles White House Paste. Regularly 10c Monday Evening Price 3c

SILK CREPE SCARFS (Street Floor) 25c

And figured China silk scarfs, 1 1-2 and 2 yards long, hemstitched ends, colors white, pink, blue, lavender and black. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.50 Monday Evening Price 25c

FILET NET (Street Floor) 25c

A chance to buy the material for a handsome waist for little money, 44 inches wide and it takes 2 1-2 yards for a waist, color only. Regularly 75c Monday Evening Price 25c

BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES 89c

Blucher cut, broad toes, heavy soles, sizes for boys 5 to 12 years of age. Regularly \$1.25 and \$1.40 Monday Evening Price 89c

No such opportunity for saving on wearing apparel has ever been offered in Lowell as comes to you in the New Buyer's Sale in our Cloak and Suit Department today.

LADIES' NIGHT

Fine Program Arranged by Elks

C. H. Molloy; on refreshments. Samuel Scott, W. F. Griffin, J. H. Corbett, J. V. Kinsella, E. F. Hathaway, D. W. Young; on whist, Joseph Hicks, C. H. Cahill, D. W. Young, D. Shanahan; on printing, Harry Pitts, F. A. Maloney.

NEW ECZEMA REMEDY

Stops Itching At Once

The new remedy Cadum has astonished the medical world. Many cures of eczema and other distressing skin diseases are reported, and the remarkable feature in most cases is the quickness of the cure. Eczema is not a blood disease, but a skin affection. It cannot be cured by internal medicines. External treatment is absolutely necessary. Since the introduction of Cadum eczema is now recognized as a curable disease, and that tormenting affliction has been robbed of its terrors. Cadum stops the itching at once and begins the healing process with the first application. It destroys disease germs, relieves inflammation and is soothing and healing to the skin. From the moment it is applied to skin trouble immediate relief is felt. It is for pimples, blisters, hives, rashes, acne, herpes, scaly skin, pustules, rash, chafing, eruptions, soreness, scabs, blackheads, itching piles, etc. Trial box 10c; large box 25c; all druggists.

The following committee has general charge of the arrangements: Frank Mallory, chairman; Harry Pitts, secretary; Exalted Ruler Wm. S. Grady, master of ceremonies; committee on whist, Joseph Hicks, J. F. Kinsella, Joseph, Mallory, D. Shanahan; committee on music, Samuel Scott, Charles H. Molloy, Joseph Mullin, M. Welch, J. Donley; on souvenirs, Harry Pitts, F. A. Maloney; on decorations, D. W. Young, J. Donley; on entertainment, F. A. Maloney, W. S. Grady, Joseph Hicks, M. Welch, Joseph Mullin. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" columns.

WOMEN'S MISSIONS

Are in Progress in the Local Catholic Churches

Large Congregations at All the Services—Mission for Men Was Opened at the Sacred Heart Church—Other Catholic Notes

The men's mission opened at the Sacred Heart church last evening with one of the largest congregations of men ever assembled in the spacious edifice.

Services opened with a reading by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., pastor of the church. He complimented the men on their large numbers and urged them to continue the grand start they had made. Rev. Fr. Cornell, O. M. I., then recited the rosary with the congregation.

He said: "I must congratulate and compliment you, my dear men, for the grand start you have made. It is gratifying to the missionaries as well as your parish priests to see such a grand response to our call. It also demonstrates the faith that is in you, and I sincerely hope that you will continue the work you have started."

The speaker then gave an instruction of the importance of keeping the commandments. The sermon of the evening was delivered by Rev. John M. McRory, O. M. I. He took as his text: "This is the acceptable time; this is the time of salvation." He pointed out the opportunity the priests of the parish had furnished to the parishioners to make their Easter duty by having the mission at this time.

Following the sermon, solemn benediction of the blessed sacrament was given. Rev. Fr. Tighe was celebrant, and he was assisted by Rev. Fr. Smith and Rev. Fr. Fletcher as deacon and sub-deacon, respectively.

At the 5 o'clock mass this morning a large congregation was present. Rev. Fr. McRory celebrated mass and gave the instructions.

The services during the week will

consist of a sermon and benediction in the evening at 7.30 o'clock and mass in the morning at 5.7 and 8 o'clock. The retreat will close on next Sunday evening.

Women's Mission Closed

The women's mission at the Sacred Heart church came to a close yesterday afternoon. During the week there were 1657 communicants, an unusually large number. At all masses Rev. Fr. McRory, O. M. I., congratulated the women on the great success of the mission and urged them to act as missionaries for the men by using their influence to get out a large number of men at the men's mission. At the closing exercises, Rev. E. J. Cornell, O. M. I., gave a powerful discourse on perseverance.

Previous to the benediction there was a reception into the Holy Rosary and Children of Mary sodalities, over 60 new candidates being received.

The service closed with solemn benediction being given by the pastor, Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. L. F. Tighe, O. M. I., as deacon and Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O. M. I., as sub-deacon.

At the conclusion of the services, the choir and congregation sang "Holy God We Praise Thy Name."

St. Patrick's

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Immaculate Conception

At high mass in the Immaculate Conception church, yesterday, Mr. Joseph P. Courtney, the new choir director, conducted the singing for the first time. Schmidt's mass was sung with an "Ave Verum" at the offertory. Mr. Courtney was appointed to relieve Mrs. Hugo Walker at her own request.

For the past four years she has been both director and organist, conducting the dual position with great success. Mrs. Walker will continue as organist.

Rev. George L. Nolan, O. M. I., the pastor, was celebrant of the parish mass yesterday and the sermon was by Rev. Fr. O'Brien, O. M. I.

At the evening service a sermon on "Penance" was preached by Rev. Fr. Phelan, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury Institute.

Fr. Nolan last night received a report from the newly formed junior branch of the Holy Name society. He pinned a badge on the breast of each lad and made in the gathering a brief and impressive talk on the reverence due to the house of God. The junior branch has a religious meeting once a month.

It was announced that a week's retreat for the men of the parish would begin on Sunday, March 6.

Missions for Women

The missions for married women at St. Joseph's and St. Jean's churches closed yesterday afternoon and those for the unmarried women opened last evening. The missionaries will exchange pulpits this week. Rev. Fr.

THE C. L. JONES CO., 418B Friend Building, Elmira, N.Y.

IF YOU'RE TOO THIN

How to Get A Superb Figure WITHOUT A PENNY OF COST



All you have to do is to write, saying, "Send me your free treatment and illustrated booklet." We send you absolutely without a penny of cost, Dr. Whitney's Flesh Builder—a treatment that has been delighting women with its permanent results for sixteen years.

It is a fact that your figure which is undeveloped—i.e., too small—if your shoulders, arms or legs, are not prettily rounded—if there are hollows in the waist, neck or upper chest this treatment will coax you into.

It will not only give you a quickly secure a firm, beautifully developed bust, slender neck and properly developed limbs.

It makes no difference whether your thinness is caused by sickness or inheritance. Dr. Whitney's Flesh Builder acts directly on the fat-producing cells and fills all the hollow places.

Being a purely vegetable preparation, it gives a better tint to the complexion and a finer texture to the skin by its perfect blood-making qualities.

Greater No. 1 is the general system flesh builder for both men and women, and is for giving development to the bust without enlarging other parts of the body. Please say which treatment you prefer, as only one sample can be sent.

The sample proves these facts. Remember, the trial cost you nothing. But if advertising this sample creates trouble, it will be withdrawn; so don't delay—write now.

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GEO. H. WOOD

Wholesale and Retail Jeweler

Chafing Dishes

We are closing out a big line of chafing dishes at wonderful bargain prices at our special sale. A chafing dish is not only useful but ornamental as well, and you can get one at the sale, the regular price of which is \$5.00, at \$3.49. Our new spring and summer goods have arrived, and there is more to follow. We must have the room to display these goods. That is why we are marking all chafing dishes at about half price. Do not fail to call and examine.

If you want an umbrella it will pay you to call. We have got just what you want in price and quality.

Chafing Dish Spoons, regular price \$1.50. Sale price.....89c

THE BIG BARGAIN STORE
GEO. H. WOOD

137 TO 151 CENTRAL ST.

Pierre going to St. Joseph's and Rev. Fr. Bonaventure to St. Jean Baptiste's. The mission for women at Notre Dame de Lourdes church, conducted by Rev. Fr. Conrad was closed yesterday afternoon and the men's mission opened in the evening.

BOSTON BAKER

Had a Narrow Escape From Death

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—David Paretsky, a baker, narrowly escaped death by being caught in the paddles of a kneading machine while at work at 10 North street yesterday morning.

Only the man's coolness and presence of mind saved him from death.

While being dragged into the machine he managed to throw the belt on the pulley that furnished power to the big artificial bread mixer and stopped the machine.

He was taken into the Relier station suffering from a lacerated wound of the left side of his body and contusions and abrasions of both legs.

At the time of the accident he was feeding dough to the mechanical kneader. He turned to pick up something from the floor and as he did his working coat got caught in the jaws-like projection of one of the big paddles that kneads the dough.

He shouted for help, but his cries for aid were not heard by his brother workers, who were at work in another part of the building.

He tried to extricate himself from his coat as the heavy paddles slowly swung him into the machine. He was partially dragged into the mixer when, with his left arm, he threw the belt off the pulley that furnished power to the machine. His clothes had already been torn from his body, and when he released himself from his position he fell to the floor unconscious from fright and pain.

There he was found by his fellow workers.

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By Using Trick He Was Taught

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PREMIER IS DEAD

He Was Shot by a Student

CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 21.—Boutros Pacha Ghali, the Egyptian premier and minister of foreign affairs, who was shot by a student yesterday, died at 8 o'clock this morning.

The assassin, who is in custody, is a nationalist and declares that he sought to avenge certain acts of the government which were displeasing to the nationalists.

\$25,000 OFFER TO CINCINNATI PLAYERS TO WIN THE PENNANT

CINCINNATI, Feb. 21.—Business men of Cincinnati have offered the sum of \$25,000 to the members of the Cincinnati National League club if they win the pennant next fall.

This offer has gone to the executive committee of the Ohio Valley exposition and will be formally made to the team members by that body.

HEARING ON DEMURRER

Next Thursday, February 21, is the date fixed by the superior court at Cambridge for the hearing on a demurrer filed by the defendant in the case of George H. Brown vs. John H. Harrington. The demurrer sets forth that in the article alleged to be libelous the plaintiff was not accused of any act except forcing out the old board of charity and appointing another board and from this official act resulted unfortunate conditions at the city farm which were pointed out by a member of the board which the plaintiff appointed.

WOULD BAR FOREIGNERS

TOKIO, Feb. 21.—A bill was introduced in the diet today providing that no foreigner may own land in Japan unless he is a native of a country which permits Japanese to own land within its boundaries.

EX-SULTAN VERY ILL

VIENNA, Feb. 21.—The condition of former Sultan Abdul Hamid grows worse, according to a despatch from Silesien, which adds that the royal prisoner and his harem were today removed to Constantinople.

1000 FREE BOTTLES

That Howard's Blue Balm may be tried without expense we are going to give away 1000 free samples. No purchase required, simply ask for one and we'll gladly give it. We want everybody to know how good a cough cure we have. One dose relieves. Pleasant to take and safe for children. Large bottles 25c. Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street. (Few people realize how dangerous is constipation. Howard's Compound Castor Oil 25c each lb.)

LODGE VS. AMES THROWN FROM AUTO

Latter Suspects the Former of Misrepresenting Him

Relative to the Weeks Forestry Bill Now Before Congress—Sec. McKenna Receives Replies From Senator Crane and Congressman Ames

As the result of instructions received at a meeting of the directors of the board of trade Sec. McKenna recently addressed communication to Senator Crane and Congressman Ames relative to the Weeks forestry bill now before congress asking their support of the measure.

Today Sec. McKenna received replies from both statesmen which are self-explanatory and are as follows:

United States Senate—

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18, 1910.
Mr. John A. McKenna, Esq., Secretary of Lowell Board of Trade, 90 Central Block, Lowell, Massachusetts.

My Dear Sir: I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. in reference to the Weeks forestry bill.

In spite of numerous reports circulated among the several forestry journals and printed by numerous papers in the state, I am not opposed to the Weeks forestry bill, but am very much in favor of it, and am so recorded upon the only vote the house has had upon the only vote the house has had upon the matter. I will be glad to do everything in my power to assist Mr. Weeks. I have my suspicions that this unjust attack on my position emanated from Lodge sources.

Very truly yours,

Signed, W. M. Crane.

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Washington, D. C., Feb. 18, 1910.
Mr. John A. McKenna, Secretary Board of Trade, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: Your letter of the 15th inst. is received. I note with interest all that you have written regarding the Weeks forestry bill. I am heartily in favor of this measure and shall do all that I can in support of it.

Very truly yours,

Signed, Butler Ames.

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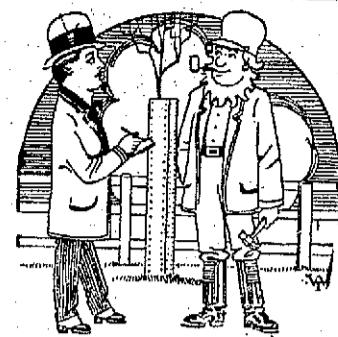
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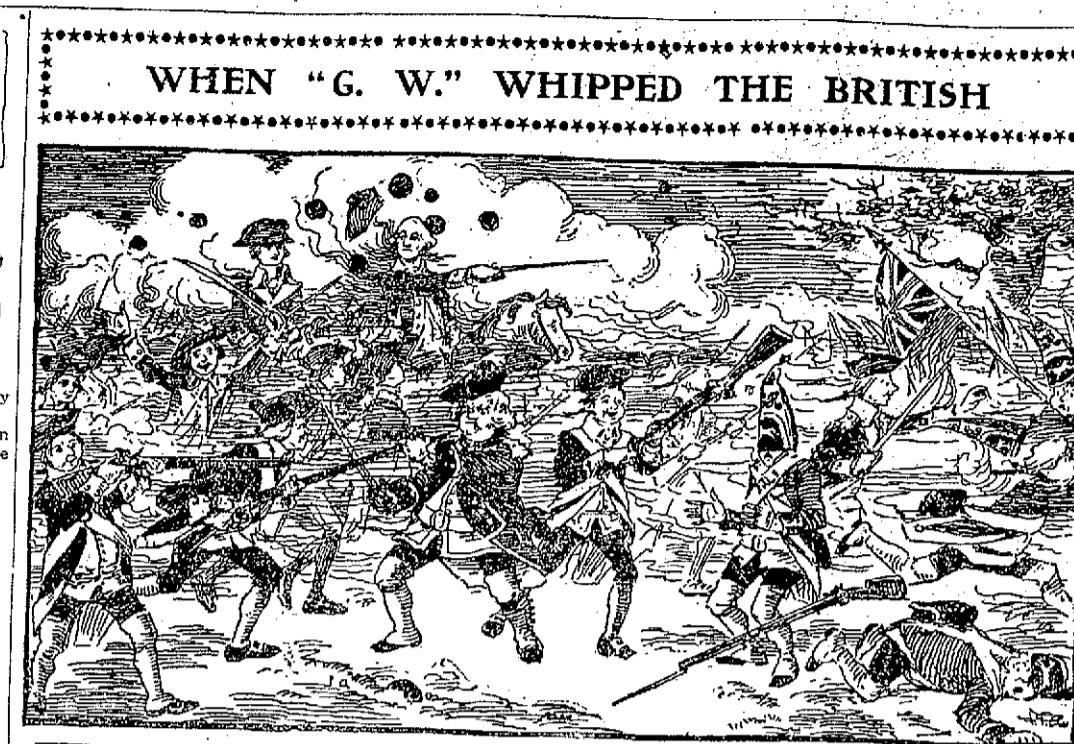
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OLD AGRICOLA'S PRECAUTION.
Reporter—Why have you boxed up
your cherry tree in that fashion, Ag?
Agricola—The Sunday school teacher
has just presented Johnnie with the
"Life of Washington."



TAKING NO CHANCES.
Fond Mammy—Let's name the baby
George Washington.



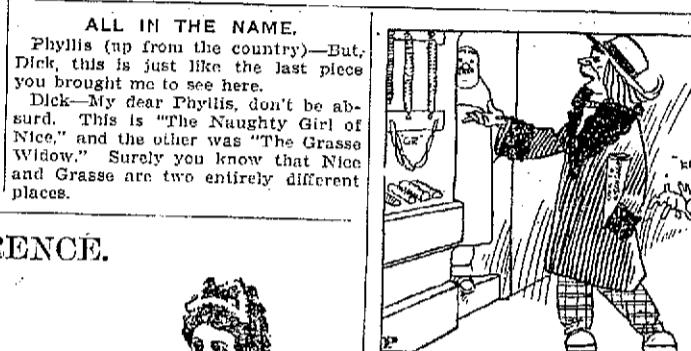
WHEN "G. W." WHIPPED THE BRITISH.
Phyllis (up from the country)—But,
Dick, this is just like the last piece
you brought me to see here.
Dick—My dear Phyllis, don't be ab-
surd. This is "The Naughty Girl of
Nice," and the other was "The Grasse
Whoo." Surely you know that Nice
and Grasse are two entirely different
places.



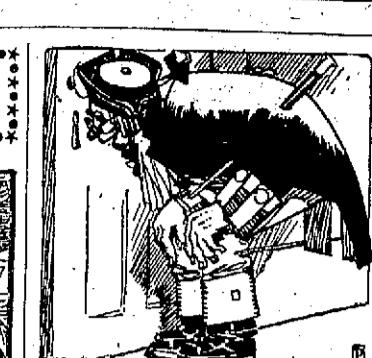
FIRST TO QUIT.
"Why did they call G. W. first in
peace?"
"Probably because he buried the
hatchet after he had hacked the
cherry tree."



SQUELCHING A. G. W. ORATOR.
Orator of the Day—If Washington
were alive today—
Voice in the Audience—Garn! If he
was alive today you wouldn't be on
the job.



SUCH GREAT INTELLIGENCE.
"Extraordinary!" cried a man who
was reading the newspaper. "Another
discovery has been made in Saturn.
Aren't they wonderful, these astrono-
mers?" "Yes," assented his wife, "but
the strangest part is that they should
discover the names of the stars!"



QUESTION OF THE HOUR, FEB.
22, 1732.
Washington Pere (at the keyhole)—Is
it a boy or a girl?



WHAT PUZZLED THE FATHER OF
THE FATHER.
G. W.—Father, I cannot tell a lie.
G. W.'s Father—Well, boy, I don't
know how you ever expect to get
along.



ROUGH ON GEORGE.
Teacher (on Feb. 21)—Who won
great fame with a little hatchet?
Jimmy—Carrie Nation!

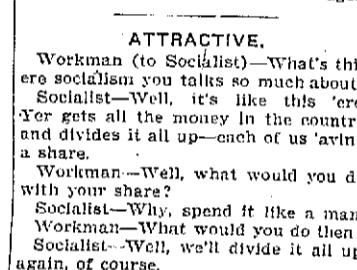
SHE KNEW THE DIFFERENCE.



"Dust the drawing room, Jane. I'm going to have a visitor."
"Shall I dust it for a lady or for a gentleman?"



DEGENERATE DAYS.
In olden days the poets sang
Of roses. In this coarse age
They turn their thoughts to other
Things
Like buckwheat cakes and sausages.



ATTRACTIVE.

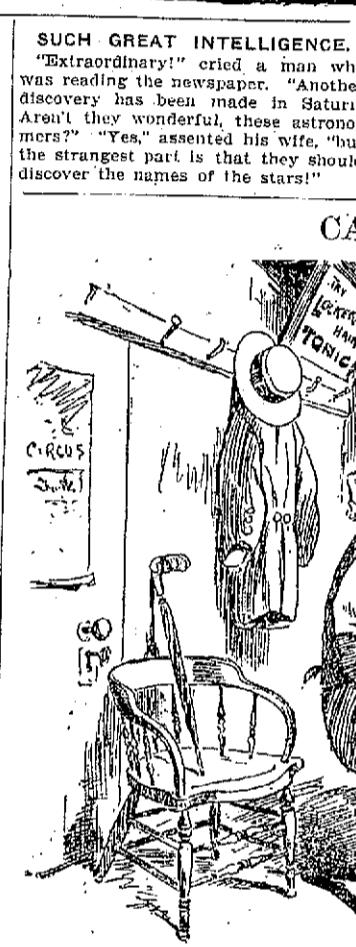
Workman (to Socialist)—What's this
era socialism you talk so much about?
Socialist—Well, it's like this era.
You gets all the money in the country
and divides it all up—each of us 'avin'
a share.

Workman—Well, what would you do
with your share?

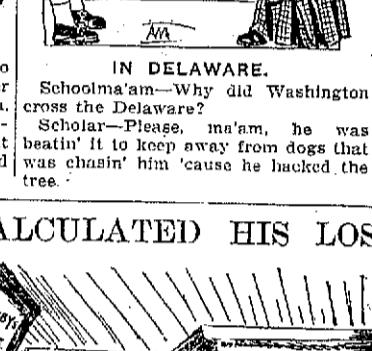
Socialist—Why, spend it like a man.

Workman—What would you do then?

Socialist—Well, we'll divide it all up
again, of course.



Customer (indignantly): "Why didn't you ask me if I wished bay rum? Didn't you think I had 5 cents?"
Barber: "It wasn't that, boss. I couldn't see where my profit on bay rum at 5 cents was goin' ter come in
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NO NONSENSE TO HIM.
"John," he said, "don't you think
this talk about trial marriages is just
horrid?"

"Oh, I dunno."

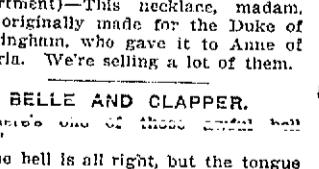
"Why, you don't believe in them
yourself, do you?"

"Have to. If there's any marriage
that ain't a trial you just show me."



A. G. W. VARIANT.
Grandpan—I hope, my boy, you'll re-
member that story your father told
you about Washington and imitate the
great man's example.

My Boy—Say, gramp, I did. But I
couldn't find any cherry tree, so I cut
down a couple of rows of apple trees.



NO SALE.
Salesman (lately promoted to curio
department)—This necklace, madam,
was originally made for the Duke of
Buckingham, who gave it to Anne of
Austria. We're selling a lot of them.

BELLE AND CLAPPER.

"I'm one of these small bell
hats."

"The hell is all right, but the tongue
of the bell!"

JUST GOOD ENOUGH.

George—Do you think that I'm good
enough for you, darling?

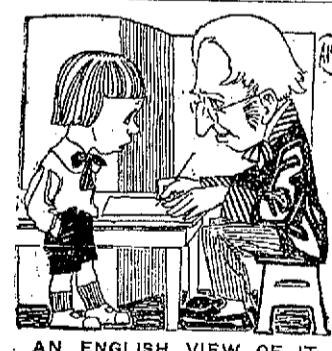
Darling—No, George, but you're too
good for any other girl.



HOW IT STARTED.

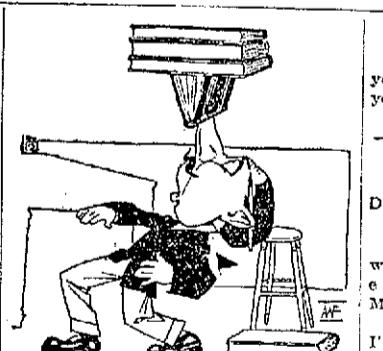
G. W.—You know you gave me the
hatchet?

W. Senior—That's got nothing to do
with the case. What's worrying me is
that you are keeping company with
Parson Weems' boy.



AN ENGLISH VIEW OF IT.
English Writer—Son, do you know
anything about George Washington?
Son—He wuth han Hamerican.
"Quite so. And for what was he re-
markable as an American?"

"He told the truth when he was
caught."



COULD SUIT HERSELF.
Helress—Tell me truly, Arthur, is it
your love or your reason that prompts
you to marry me?
Arthur—Just as you like, dearest.

Different Kind of
Art.
"Have you ever
written on an
empty stomach,
Mr. Poet?"

"Excuse me, sir,
I'm a poet, not a
tattoo artist!"

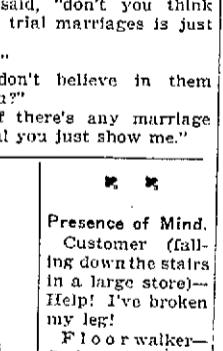
BOOKKEEPING TERM.
"Balancing his books."



FAST ON HIS FEET.
"Ah, yes," said the tragedian, "I
have had some long runs."
"Indeed!"

"Yes, but they never caught me."

START AND FINISH.



Presence of Mind.
Customer (falling down the stairs
in a large store)—Help! I've broken
my leg!

Floor walker—
Cork legs, second
floor on the right.

WHAT GEORGE REALLY SAID.
Pa Washington—Why did you cut
the cherry tree, George?

Young George—'Cause I'm dead
against this forest conservation busi-
ness!

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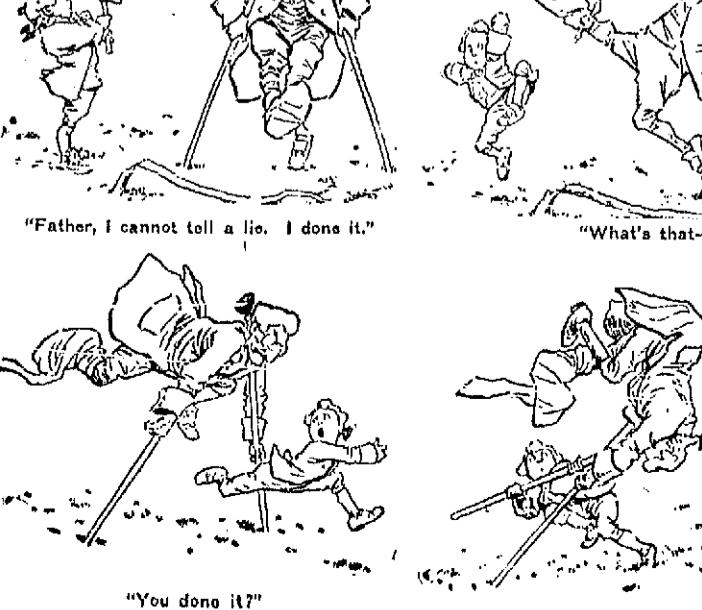
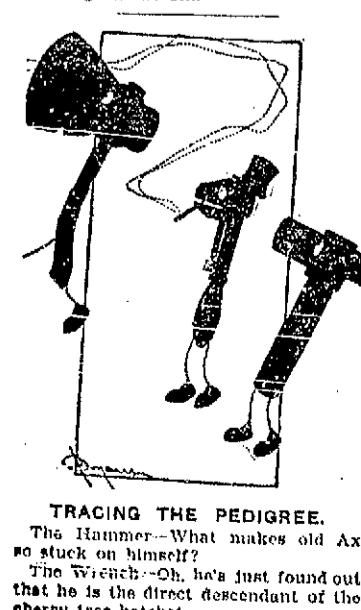
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TRACING THE PEDIGREE.
The Hammer—What makes old Ax
so stuck on himself?

The Witch—Oh, he's just found out
that he is the direct descendant of the
cherry tree hatchet.

"You done it!"

"Father, let me finish. I done it!"

"That will do, my son. Your future lies in the
military profession. You have already begun by
murdering the king's English."

RACE FEELING HIGH THE RUSSELL CASE

The Women of Cairo, Ill., Are Carrying Revolvers

Has Cost \$200,000 up to Date, It is Said

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 21.—Police officers are searching the city for a negro suspected of purse snatching and another clash between the authorities and the citizens is feared if the man is caught. The feeling is still running high against these negroes and it was added to yesterday when negroes, it is said made insulting gestures at persons in the procession following the body of Alexander Halliday, killed Thursday night in an attack on the jail, in the cemetery.

Nearly six hundred persons attended the funeral and accompanied the body to Mountain, Ill., in a special train. As the train passed through the negro district east of Cairo, negroes collected on the streets to watch its passage. It was here members of the funeral party charge an insulting demonstration was made.

The negro police are after it is believed to have been associated with John Pratt, the negro who escaped lynching when Sheriff Nells defended the jail. If he is caught an effort may be made to take him away from the

police before the military has an opportunity to interfere.

The military continued to patrol the streets last night.

The bitterness against the negro element is manifested in threats and rumors of future demonstrations. Women generally are carrying revolvers and are urged by their husbands and male relatives to shoot to kill if attacked.

The home of Sheriff Nells is guarded by the militia, and he is given a military escort when he leaves the courthouse. Popular feeling is against him for using negro deputies and allowing Halliday's body to lie in front of the jail for three hours.

Adjutant General Dickson, Gov. Deacon's personal representative, declared last night that Nells was not ordered by the governor to permit Halliday's body to lie on the ground until the militia arrived.

Mrs. Nells, wife of the sheriff, collapsed yesterday under the strain, and now under a physician's care. She is one of the women who are carrying revolvers.

CAMBRIDGE, Feb. 21.—A hundred days' wrangling over the rightful claim to the three-quarter of a million-dollar estate of Daniel Russell of Melrose has not only marked the case as the Jarndyce and Jarndyce of Massachusetts jurisprudence but has developed sufficient testimony to warrant criminal action, no matter which way the scales of justice fall. A tall, dark-haired, well-fanned man from the plains of North Dakota stands before the Middlesex probate court claimant as the long lost son of his father or one of the most accomplished imposters in the legal annals of the state. He says he is Daniel Blaize Russell, the second son of Daniel Russell, the second

son of Daniel Russell, who disappeared when his boy and that he did not hear of his father's death until a year after the estate had been practically settled.

Opposite stands William C. Russell, the elder son and principal beneficiary under the will, surrounded by an army of the highest-priced lawyers in the state, who set up the defense that the North Dakota giant is really James Rousseau of Malone, N. Y., and that he has been killed in his fight for the Russell property by a particularly clever group of gamblers in or about Dickinson, N. D.

The charges on both sides have been sensational and cannot be disregarded by either the prosecuting attorneys of

the state or of the nation. If the claimant's case is upheld the postoffice authorities will be warranted in arresting some of the other side for forging cancellation dates and rifling the mails.

If, on the other hand, the estate wins the claimant, whose name therefore will be Rousseau and not Russell, stands as a purveyor and one who has attempted to obtain money under false pretenses.

Two postoffice inspectors have been at every hearing since the case began.

A representative of the district attorney of Middlesex county has also been in constant attendance. Yet the climax seems far off as when the opening words were spoken on Sept. 26th.

Seven lawyers, whose services ranged up to \$100 a day, have missed scarcely a session. They have been assisted by more than 20 detectives. Over 150 witnesses and these seven lawyers have spoken more than three million words.

Ten handwriting experts in expert rates have given their opinions and 20 exhibits have been introduced. It is estimated that the case has cost to date \$200,000. The source of wealth to support the will is evident, while the claimant says that he made a considerable sum in real estate transactions in North Dakota. His opponent and alleged brother says that he is taking a gambler's chance.

WASHINGTON DAY

Observed at Immaculate Conception School

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there was a full attendance this morning at the Immaculate Conception school, thereby showing by the number in attendance the following program was carried out, how teachers and pupils enter into the spirit of commemorating in a truly patriotic way, the memory of Washington.

"My Country's Son," Class Recitation.

First Grade, Little Boys Salute the Flag, Song.

Recitation, "If I Try."

Master Edward Callahan, Reading, "How Washington Tried..." John Pollard, Song, "The Red, White and Blue."

Recitation, "Work for All," Anita Gary.

"How," Class Recitation.

"A Little Girl's Roast," Helen Conaton.

Song, "Down the Old Virginia," Fourth Grade.

Heading, "Boyhood of Washington," Washington's Birthday, Class Recitation.

Dialogue, "Our Flag," Grace Burns, Anne Welsh, Mary Lyons, Gertrude O'Connor, Angie Flinn.

Song, "Mount Vernon Hails," Reading, "Under the Old Elm," John Shaughnessy.

Class Recitation, "Washington's Greatness," Reading, "The Character of Washington."

Joseph Conroy, Song, "Our Washington," Entire School.

LAND SEEKERS

Not Pleased With Ballinger's Decision

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21.—A committee of disgruntled land-seekers who stand in line from Thursday morning until Saturday night last to secure filings on homesteads

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE LOTS for sale on Christian Hill, at a low City water and gas. Inquire at 1212 Bridge st.

A FARM FOR \$200, and many years to pay for it; a place to build a home and prosper; land now open for settlement; homesteaders, investors and even speculators should write me; just a postal with your name will bring full prospectus. Address Mr. Cavanaugh, 1101 Durborn st., Chicago.

MODERN UP-TO-DATE KITCHEN COTTAGE for sale, one and one-half room, open planning, 1 minute's walk from electric car. For particulars apply 41 Starbird st., Pawtucket.

HELP WANTED

WOMAN OF NEAT APPEARANCE wanted to care for mercantile and professional men, including their families, no samples to carry, salary and commission. Inquire 685 Merrimack st.

FOR COAL SHOVELERS wanted at once. Apply John P. Quinn, Gorham and Dix sts.

FOR COAL HANDLER wanted to be on the clock and suit business; good wages and an opportunity for the right kind of a boy. Apply in person only, New York, 30th & 5th st., 12 John st.

EXPERIENCED TABLE GIRL wanted. One who is not afraid to work.

SEN. TILLMAN'S CONDITION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—After another consultation this morning, Doctors Babcock and Pickford issued the following bulletin in regard to Senator Tillman's condition.

"Senator Tillman continues to improve. The paralysis is much less than yesterday. His mind is very clear and memory excellent. Outlook more encouraging than at any time since present illness began."

A small regular payment will satisfy us soon settle our bill, principal & charges.

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Why worry about your unpaid bills when a loan from us will settle them and dispel worry, thereby giving you a fresh start and a clear mind.

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